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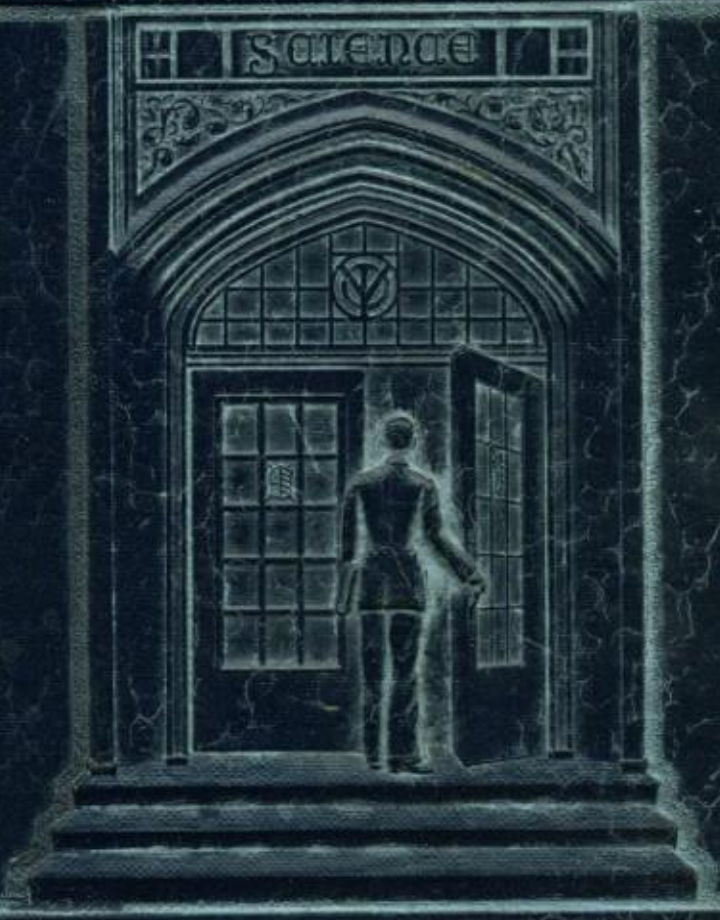

JOAN FRENDBERG '50

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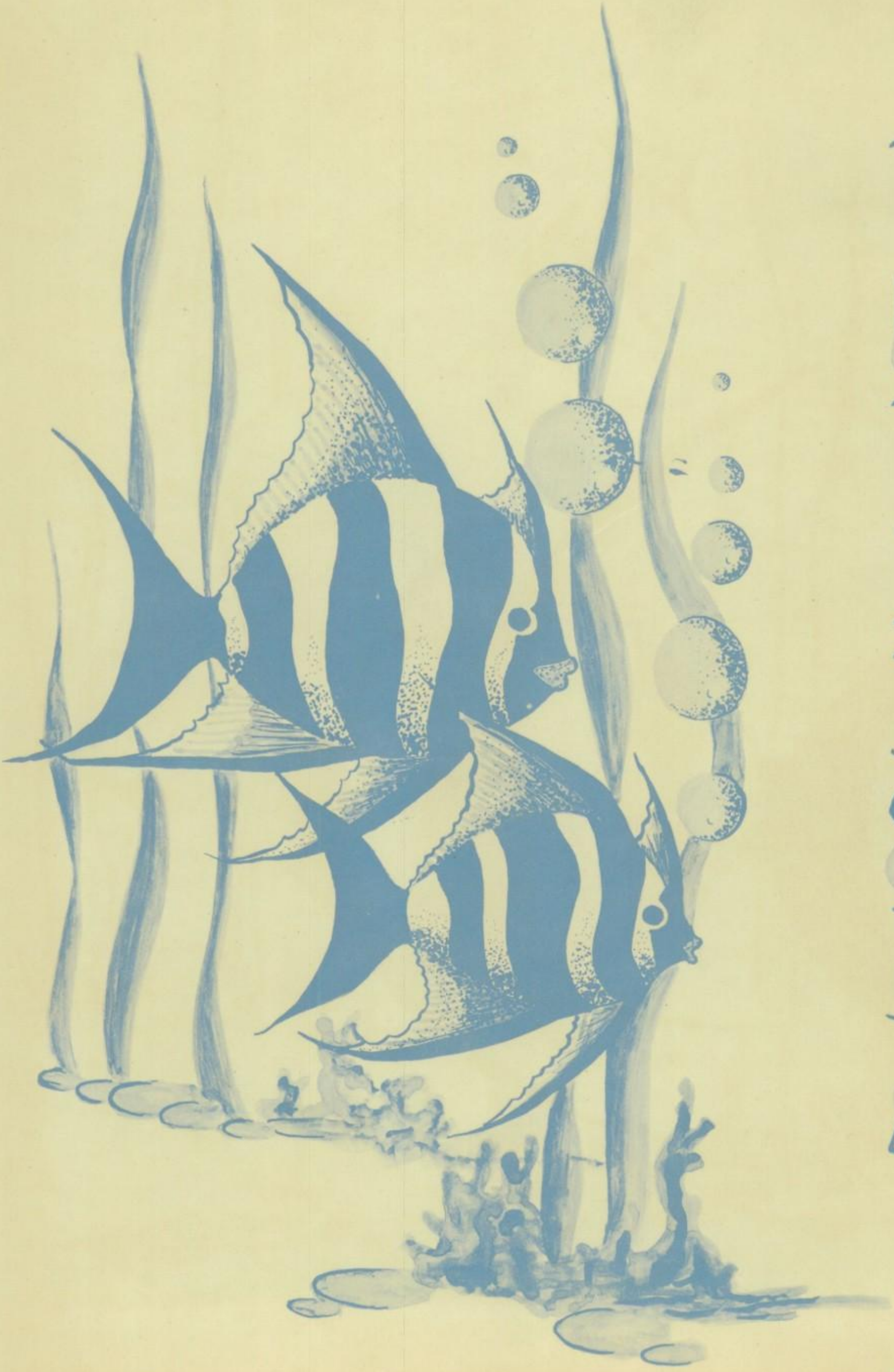

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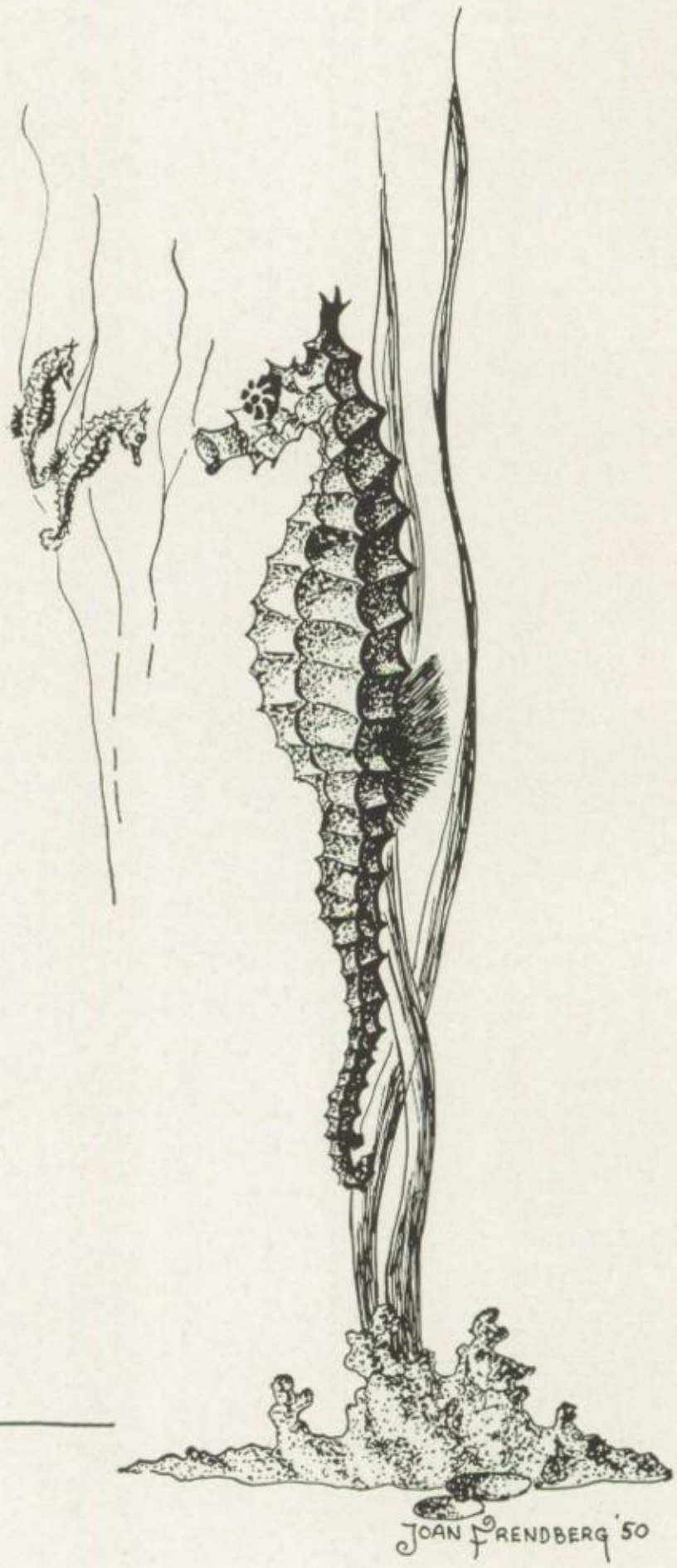

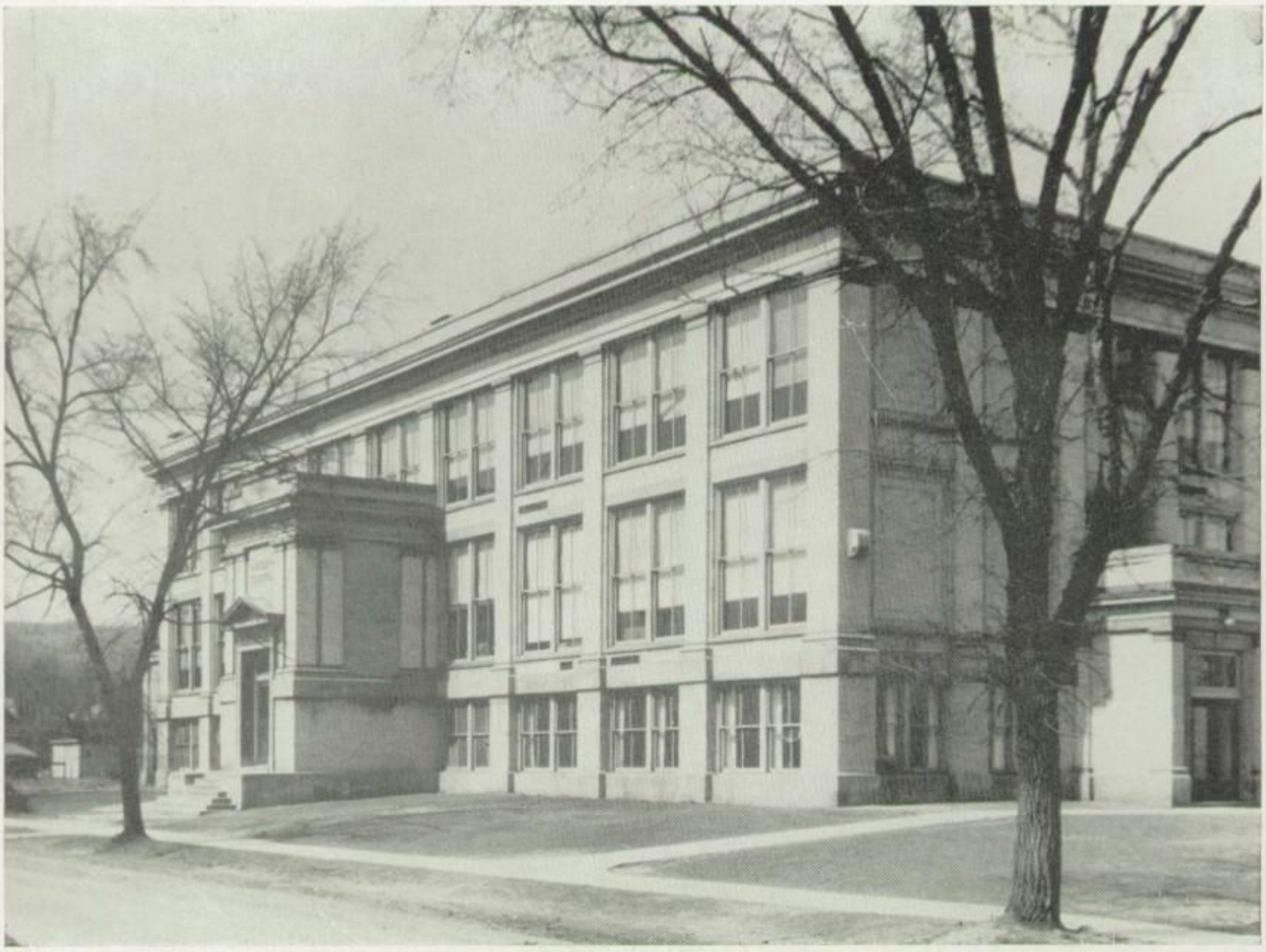

ALMA MATER

Come, comrades dear, and join us
We'll raise a mighty cheer
For the good old Alma Mater,
To all of us so dear,
For there is not one among us,
But loves her with his might,
And always does his bravest
For the Blue and Orange bright.

Dear beloved Alma Mater
We honor thy fair name,
And as athletes and as students,
We'll earn you praise and fame.
On the football field or diamond,
For thee shall praise resound;
In the classics hall of learning
Shall be owned thy fair renown.

All too fast the time draws nearer—
School days behind we'll leave;
Then for thee dear Alma Mater
In the after years we'll grieve;
Always as a gentle mother,
Our hearts to thee are true,
As you teach us loyal friendship
To the Orange and the Blue.

THE EDISONIAN STAFF

and the

Seniors of the Thomas A. Edison High School

proudly present

THE 1950 EDISONIAN

Thomas A. Edison High School

Elmira Heights, N. Y.

DEDICATION

TO Mr. Wendell Cleveland, who has wisely guided us through our last three years of high school, we The Class of 1950, gratefully wish to dedicate this yearbook.

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THE SUPERINTENDENT

Always smiling and ready to lend a helping hand, you have done much to make our last two years of high school successful ones.

MR. JACK R. TERRY, *Principal*

THE PRINCIPAL

Principal extra-ordinary, you have always been ready and willing to make our last two years of high school pleasant ones.

THE DEAN

Miss Carol L. Kendall, Dean of Students. You have guided us through four years of high school, and done your utmost to prepare us for the world which lies beyond graduation.

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IN APPRECIATION

Mrs. H. Elizabeth Cross is the faculty supervisor of the yearbook. On her shoulders has fallen the responsibility for the production of this book. The time and energy she has spent in its behalf have proved to be the deciding factor in its success. Her experience has provided us with the "know-how" of yearbook production.

Miss Selma Howard heads our Art department. Her advice and ideas have put freshness and added life into our yearbook. She has tied the loose ends together with a central theme. We are sincerely grateful to her.

Mrs. Edna Klungle is the advisor of the literary staff. Her untiring work has produced a finer text. She, too, has helped to bring the theme of the yearbook together and make it one that we are proud to sponsor.

Mr. Jack Terry has found time with all his other school work to aid us with finances. We are indeed fortunate to have such a capable man come to our rescue in such an important field of yearbook work.

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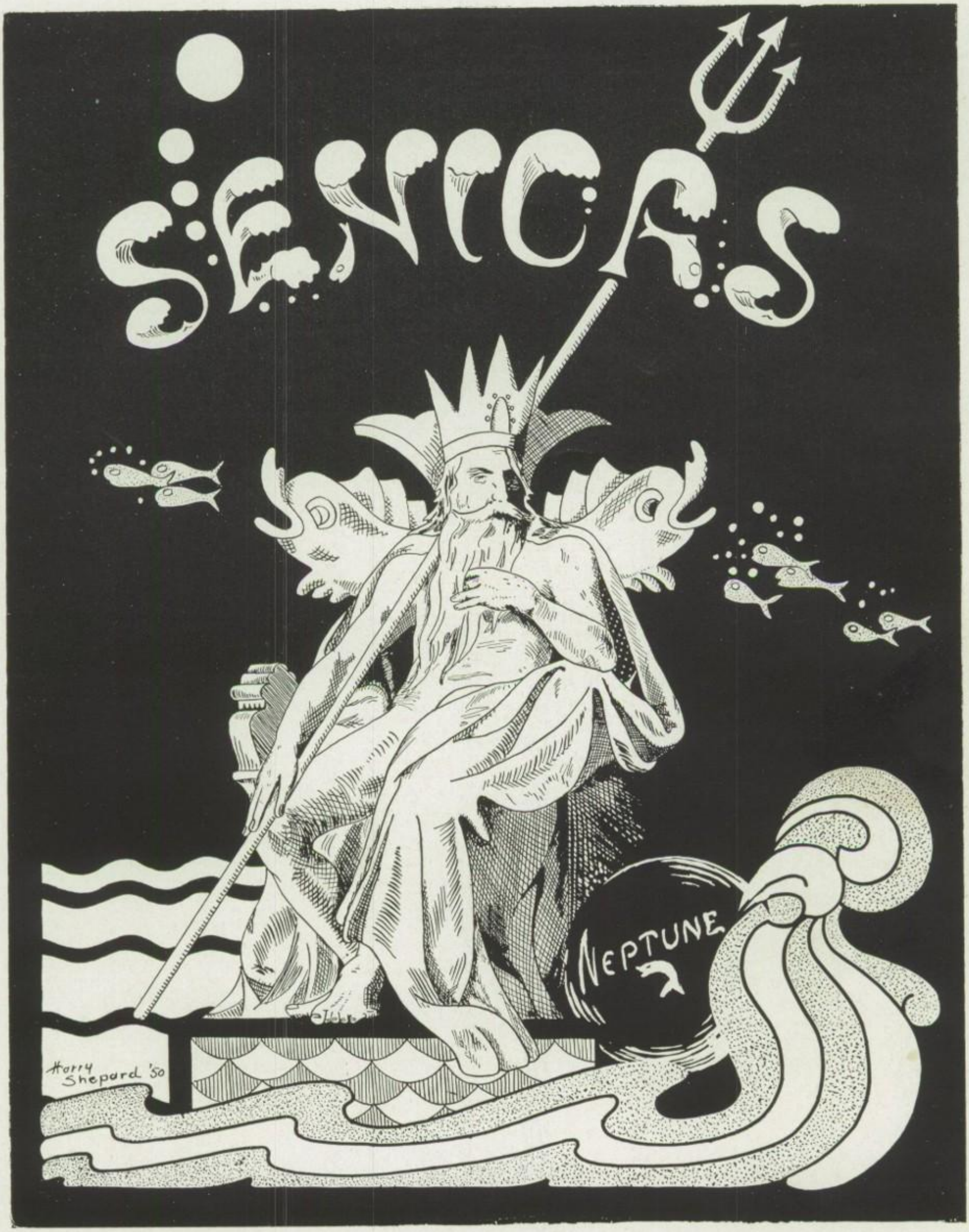

SERVICES
NEPTUNE
Harry Shepard '50

ALICE ADAMS

Amy is slender, as you can see,
What a perfect mermaid she would be.

Girls Athletic Club 1,2,3; Girls Chorus 1,2,3,4; Jr. Play Committee; Senior Play Committee.

PAUL BRIGHAM

The electric eel down under the sea
Knows less than Paul about electricity.

Senior Play Committee; Newspaper Club

ROSEMARIE BAHANTKA

Rosie is the nicest girl.
Pretty as a precious pearl.

Charm Club 1; Edisonian Staff 2,3,4; Library Council 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 1,2; Cheerleader 3,4; Girls Chorus 1,4; Senior Play Cast; Student Council 1; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

ARTHUR BUTLER

At school Art is really shy
But with the sirens—me oh my!

Senior Play Committee.

BETTY BELKNAP

Betty Belknap sweet and shy
Her red hair attracts the sailor's eye.

Charm Club 1; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

ANNE BRUCATO

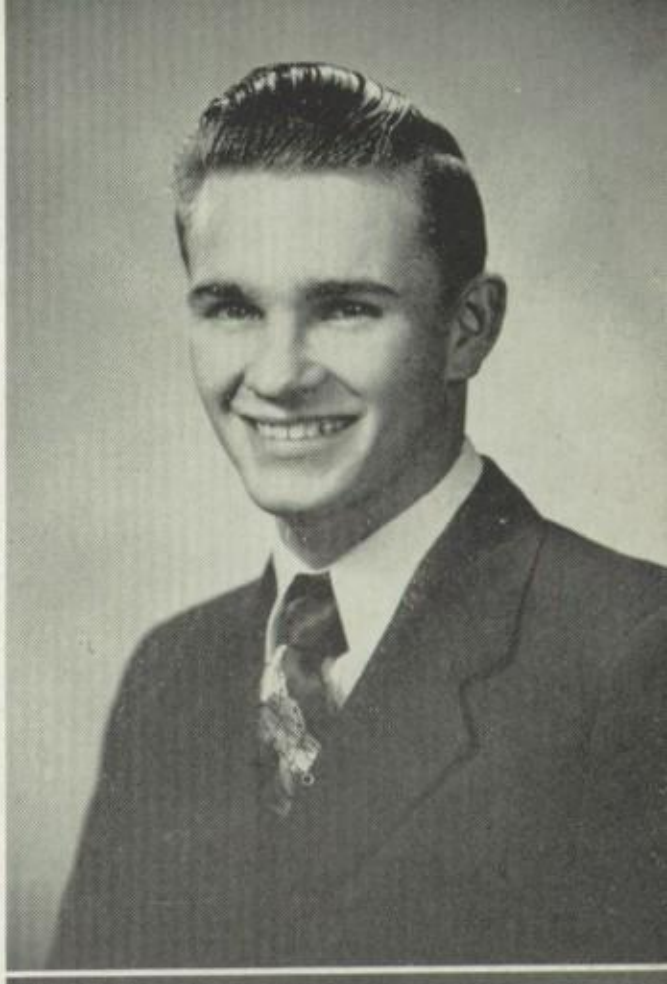
Beauty and brains don't often mix
Any sailor would like Anne's tricks.

Charm Club; Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Literary Editor 4; Library Council 2,3,4; Dramatic Club 2; Cheerleader 3; Mixed Choir 3,4; Girls Chorus 1.

DOROTHY BUTREY

Dot Butrey, Neptune's merriest daughter,
Is always smiling as she streaks through the water.

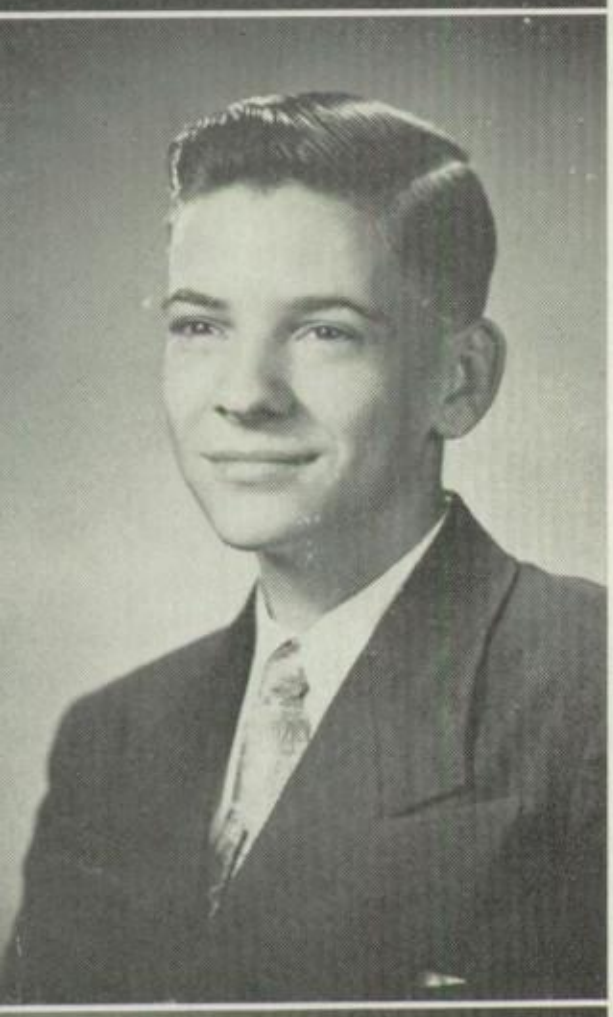
Girls Chorus 1, Charm Club 1; Newspaper Club 3,4; Edisonian Staff 2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.



LOUIS DAVIS

A quiet but hard worker is he
A big fish he is bound to be.

Football 1,2,3,4.



THEODORE CHAPMAN

Collecting tickets at Neptune's door,
Is our well-known Theodore.

Glee Club 1,3; Mixed Choir 4; Jr. Play Cast; Chess Club 2.

JOHN ELMQUIST

As nice a guy as we could fish
He isn't anybody's fish.

Male Glee Club 2,3; Mixed Choir 3,4; Junior Play Cast; Newspaper Club; Yearbook 4; Senior Play Committee.

MARILYN CRANS

Refreshing as spring, sweet as can be
Queen of the mermaids forever, she'll be.

Girls Athletic Club 1,2,4; Newspaper Club 1,2,4; Yearbook Staff 2,3,4; Student Director, Senior Play; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Drum-Majorette 4; Dramatic Club 1,2; Girls Chorus 1; Charm Club 1; Double Mixed Quartette 2; Triple Trio 3.

MILDRED ELMQUIST

Millie is a mermaid fair
Without a worry or a care.

Girls Athletic Association 1,2; Leaders Club 3,4; Majorette; Triple Trio 2; Senior Junior Play Committee.

NANCY ERMOLD

From a treasure, an Ermold bright
Gaily shining in the night.

Mixed Choir 1,2,4; Dramatic Club 1; Library Council 1,2,3; Charm Club 1; Senior Play Cast; Yearbook 3,4.

PETER GENOVESE

The joker of the Seven Seas
Is T.A.E's Pete Genovese.

Male Glee Club 2,4; Golf 2,3,4; Junior Rotarian; Empire Boys State; Senior Play Cast; Junior Play Committee; Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Yearbook Staff 4.

EDWARD FELL

Our shy old Mike, a brain indeed
Sailed merrily along through T.A.E.

Football 2,3; Basketball 1,2; Baseball 1,2; Golf 3,4; Mixed Choir 3,4; Vice-President Senior Class; Student Council 2; Junior Rotarian; Boys' State.

RICHARD GUIDUS

On any crew Dick would be in style
With his short hair cut and winning smile.

Chess Club; Football 2,3,4; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Cast; Dramatic Club.

JOAN FRENDBERG

The sirens down under the deep blue sea
Have not our Joanie's grace and versatility.

Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Newspaper Club 1,2,3,4; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Cast; Dramatic Club; Starlit Ball Committee; Spring Concert Committee; Mixed Double Quartette; Library Council 1,2,3,4; Legion Oratorical Contest; Inter-City Play Contest; Edisonian 2,3,4; Art Editor Edisonian 4.

RONALD GUSTIN

A wonderous guy is our zealous Gus
Scared of neither fish nor octopus.

Mixed Choir 1,2; Junior Play Cast; Senior Class Treasurer; Junior Class Treasurer; Edisonian 4.

AMELIA HABLE

A big hearted girl, who's full of fun
Like a beaver she's there when there's work to be done.

Girls Chorus 1,2,3; Leaders' Club; Junior-Senior Play Committees; Mixed Choir 4; Edisonian Staff.

BARBARA HAMMOND

A new mermaid in Neptune' sea
Is Barbara Hammond from the Academy.

Senior Play Cast; Dramatic Club; Sr. Play Committee; Library Council; Girls Athletic Association.

EDWARD HACKETT

On his mellow trumpet Ed pipes a tune,
Sweet enough to make the mermaid swoon.

Band 1,2,3,4; Pres. 4; Glee Club 1,2,4; Starlit Ball Committee; Glider Club; Brass Quartette; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Committee; Dramatic Club.

JAMES HARDY

A hardy sailor he
With the finest personality.

Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

PATRICIA HAGEMAN

Pat Hageman really is a shark
At T.A.E. she'll leave her mark.

Charm Club; Chorus 1, Mixed Choir 3,4; Dramatic Club; Newspaper Club 2,3,4; Yearbook 4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Senior Play Cast; Oratorical Contest; Erie Railroad Winner; Elmira College Key.

MAE ANN HAUSBERG

Mae Anne's a girl who's rated a pip,
She's known for parties on board her ship.

Girls Athletic Association; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Chorus 3,4; Starlit Ball Committee.

RICHARD KEHOE

Who could resist Dick's mischievous grin
His charm could win ever fur and fin.
Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

JOAN LE MUNYAN

Here is a mermaid with twinkly eyes,
She makes quite a splash with Elmira guys.
Newspaper Club 2,3,4; Girls Chorus 1,2; Mixed Choir 3,4; Dramatic Club 2,4; Drum Majorette; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Committee; Yearbook Staff; Charm Club; Triple Trio.

FRANK KERBEIN

The fishes think that Frankie's grand
He's always eager to lend a hand.
Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Mixed Choir 4; Male Glee Club 1,2,3.

MARJORIE LEWIS

A tiny but ambitious fish
As good a friend as you could wish.
Charm Club; Girls Athletic Association; Senior-Junior Play Committees.

PATRICIA KIMBALL

Beloved little Pat is near
Full of salty laughs and cheer.
Library Council 1,2,3; President 4; Girls Athletic Association 2,3,4; Newspaper Club; Yearbook Staff; Student Director Junior Play; Senior Play Cast; Mixed Choir 1,2,3,4; Charm Club 1; Leaders Club; E.S.S.P.A.; Capt. Girls' Basketball Team; Dramatic Club; Triple Trio.

GIOVINA LIBERATORE

As Abby in the Junior Play she starred
Through T.A.E. Jo's gurgling laugh cannot be barred.
Girls Chorus; Charm Club; Edisonian Staff; Junior Play Cast; Senior Play Committee; Dramatic Club.

GARY MAY

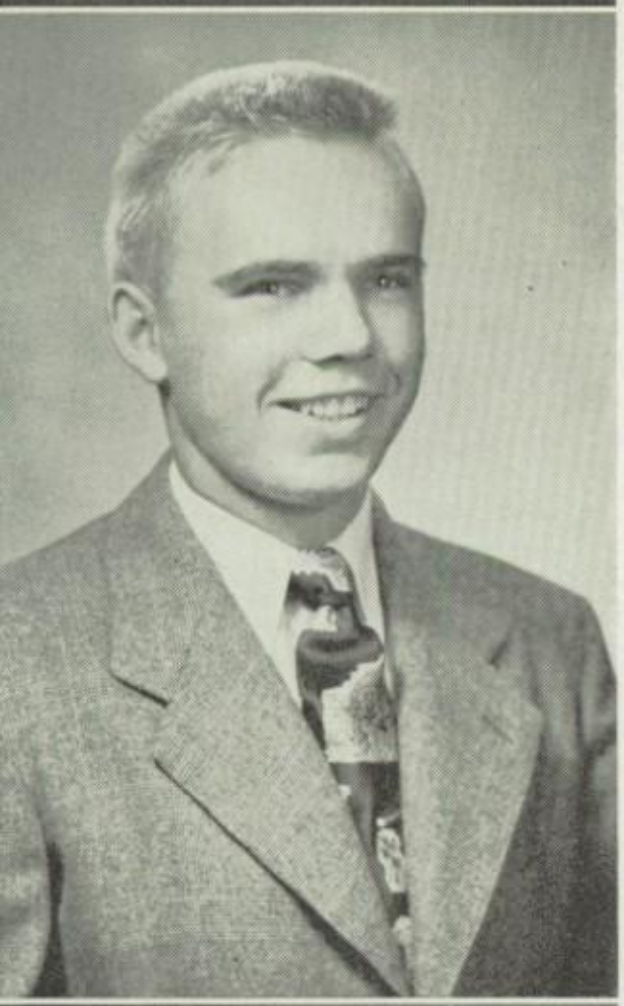
Handsome Captain of our crew
He helped to win sports fame for you.

Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Mixed Choir 1,2,3,4; Student Council Corresponding Secretary; Letterman's Club 3,4; Junior Rotarian 3; Yearbook Staff 1,4.

BARBARA NEAL

A mermaid with dark flashing eyes
From sailors she will bring the sighs.

Mixed Choir 1,2,3,4; Library Council 1,2,3,4; Student Council 2; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Yearbook Staff 4; Charm Club 1; Chorus 1.



RICHARD MILLER

Richie is our president bright
Leader of the Edison sprites.

Mixed Choir 1,2,3,4; Class Treasurer 1,2; Student Council 3; President 4; Baseball Manager 2; Junior Rotarian 3; Student Director Senior Play 4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Co-Chairman Spring Concert 2.

JACK NICKERSON

Columbus sailed the deep blue sea
Jack sails the hall of T.A.E.

Male Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Starlit Ball Committee; Jr. Sr. Play Committees

DONALD MOORE

The boom and music of the ocean roar
Cannot compare with baritone
Don Moore.

Glee Club; Double Male Quartette 1,2; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Edisongsters 3,4; All State Choir, Cortland; Senior Play Committee.

STANTON NORTHROP

"Stosh" dashes down the seaweed field
He hits so hard all opposers yield.

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Senior Play Cast; Vice-Pres. Student Council 4; Mixed Choir 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Junior Rotarian; Empire Boys State; Yearbook Staff 3,4; Business Manager Yearbook 4.

DAVID OBUHANICH

King of shrimp he reigns supreme
This year's manager of our team.

Junior Play Cast 3; Band 1,2,3; Football Manager 4; Senior Play Committee; Letterman's Club 4.

MARY PALLADINO

At sports or tooting, our Mary is a shark
Everyone finds her happy as a lark.

Yearbook Staff 4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Girls Athletic Association 1,2,3,4; Charm Club; Band 1,2,3,4; Starlit Ball Committee 1,2,3,4; Leaders Club; Band Section Leader.

RICHARD ORDWAY

For tall, blond Dick the girls do sob
Wouldn't he make a handsome gob?

Senior Play Committee; Junior Play Committee; J.V. Football 4; Yearbook Staff 4; French Club 3.

LEE PALMER

Mermaids are at the bottom of the sea,
And that's where you'll find
our good friend Lee.

Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Football 2,3,4; Mixed Choir 1,2,3; Student Council 3,4; Treasurer 4; Senior Play Cast 4; Delegate to Boys' State; Junior Rotarian; Letterman's Club 3,4; Yearbook Staff; Assistant Editor 4; Executive Council.

ALICE PALLADINO

A horn's not needed on this good ship
With Alice around our ship's equipped.

Girls Chorus 1; Charm Club; Athletic Club 1,2,3,4; Junior Play Committee; Yearbook Staff.

WALTER PALMER

In scouting Walt is really top man
He knows the ropes on sea and land.

Male Glee Club 1; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Cortland Music Festival; Senior Play Committee; Olean All State Choir.

KATHERINE PASTUZAK

Katherine is so shy and sweet
As she strolls down bluefish street.

Charm Club 1; Basketball 3,4; Athletic Club 3; Edisonian Staff 4; Newspaper Club 3,4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Chorus 2,3; Choir 4.

HAROLD PETTICREW

On the stage was Petticrew
The finest of the briny blue.

Junior Play Cast; Junior Play Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dramatic Club 4.

CARL PESESKY

Carl speeds along like a ray in the dark
No fish can beat him not even a shark.

Football 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Student Council 1,2,3,4; Letterman's Club 3,4; Junior Play Committee; Junior Rotarian; Class President 3,4.

ROBERT SATERLEE

Bob is the fellow with the hoe
Who really makes the seaweed grow.

Basketball Manager 2; Yearbook 4.

MILDRED PETELCHUK

Shiny minnow, shy, yet gay
If Danny's near, she's sure to stay.

Charm Club; Chorus 1; Athletic Club; Senior Class Secretary; Edisonian Staff; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

WARREN SCHULTZ

At the head of the undersea motor brigade
Warren has stood and thus far stayed.

Stage manager of Junior Play; Senior Play Committee; Chess Club.

KENNETH SCHWAB

Far down down in the briny deep
Is where our Kenny prefers to sleep.

Choir 1,2; Junior-Senior Play Committees; Football 1; Glee Club 1; Band 1,2,3.

LORRAINE SOPER

Lorraine is the smallest of the sea
Four years work combined in three.

Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Choir 2,4; Olean All-State Chorus 4; Cortland Music Festival

HARRY SHEPARD

Old Father Neptune and his clan agree
That Harry is tops at T.A.E.

Golf Team 1,2,3,4; Yearbook Staff 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1; Dramatic Club President 4; Editor Yearbook 4; Junior Rotarian 3; Boys State 3; Junior Play 3; Senior Play 4; French Club 3; E.S.S.P.A.; Executive Council.

DOROTHY SPEARS

On her gallant sea horse steed,
Dot rips by at break-neck speed.

Charm Club 1; Leaders Club 3,4; Girls Athletic Association 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2; Yearbook Staff 4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

DONALD SOPER

On the football field Don dashes madly
Near Jones' locker he stands most sadly.

Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

JEROME SPIRAWK

It's really too bad you
can't fly in the sea
For Jerry would like to
zoom you and me.

Football 3,4; Male Glee Club 3,4; Spring Concert Committee.

PATRICIA STUART

A joker, but a darn nice kid
Part of the treasure we have hid.

Leaders Club 3,4; Girls Athletic Association 1; Edisonian Staff 4; Girls Chorus 1,2,3; Starlit Ball 1,2,3; Senior Play Committee; Junior Play Committee.

CARLTON THOMAS

Carlton is a sea-man strong
Far from doing things all wrong.

Chess Club 3; Assistant Manager Basketball 3.

ARLA STUMPFF

A midget of the Senior Class
A pretty sea shell is this lass.

Girls Chorus 1,2; Leaders Club 3,4; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Yearbook Staff 4.

FRANCIS TRUMBLE

A joker, student, friend is he
He runs our theater at sea.

Junior Play; Dramatic Club 1; Football 1,3; Band 2; Male Glee Club 1.

JANET STRONG

Janet is really blonde and "Strong"
To T.A.E's mermaids she belongs.

Girls Athletic Association 2; Junior Play Committee 3; Girls Chorus 4.

PATRICIA TURNER

So sophisticated looking
and quite unshy
Pat flashes a bright smile
as she sails by.

Charm Club 1; Newspaper Club 1,3,4; Dramatic Club 1,2,4; Secretary Class 1,2; Student Director Jr. Play 3; Senior Play 4; Editor of Newspaper 4; Girls Chorus 1; Yearbook Staff 4; E.S.S.P.A.

NORMA UPDYKE

So very versatile is she
She makes a pond seem like a sea.

Girls Athletic Club 1,2,3,4; Charm Club 1; Newspaper 1,2,3,4; Library Council 1; Leaders Club 3; Girls Chorus 1,2,3, President; Choir 4; Yearbook 1,2,3,4; Dramatic Club 1; Senior Play Cast; Talent Show; Manager Girls Intramural Teams.

PATRICIA WEED

A charming girl, we must admit
We need her on T.A.E's ship.

Chorus 1,2; Mixed Choir 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Girls Athletic Club; Jr. Sr. Play Committee.

LEO VALEGO

Leo is a powerful sprite
Working hard both day and night.

Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3.

LARRY WICKS

Like Paderewski, Larry plays so sweet
The Titans never miss one single beat.

Male Glee Club 1,4 accompanist; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Edisongsters 3,4; Chess Club 2,3; Dramatic Club 3; Jr. Sr. Play Committees; Starlit Ball Committee; All State Choir.

MARGARET VALEGO

A very gracious, lovely dish
Yet she's a lively little fish.

Drum Majorette; Girls Chorus 1; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Leaders Club.

CAROL WILSON

To be around her is a pleasure
As precious as our hidden treasure.

Charm Club; Chorus 1,3,4; Starlit Ball Committee; Yearbook Staff; Jr. Sr. Play Committees.

NORMAN WOOD

A quiet one, but brains has he,
There's none like him in all the sea.

Male Glee Club 1; Football 1; Mixed Choir 2,3,4; Starlit Ball Committee; Chairman of Safety Council 2; Sr. Play Committee; Safety Council 4.

Camera Shy

WILLIAM YOUNG

Though we know fish cannot fly
We know his limit is the sky.

Chess Club; Senior Play Committee.

JOHN JURUSIK

You'll never see John without his Joyce
Happy is he as a playful porpoise.

WILLIAM SEELEY

A nice but quiet trout is Bill
We think of school, he's had his fill.

EDWARD SOBKOWSKI

Sub is the boy we think very fine
If he can't go over, he goes under the line.

BETTY JANE ZEPP

One who's happy all the day
She swims along her merry way.

Chorus 3; Senior Play Committee; Yearbook Staff.

PATRICIA STANSFIELD

Yo-ho-ho—and a bottle of cheer
Who can be glum when Pat is near.

SENIOR PROPHECY

Here it is, June 1970, and as I sit here in my deck chair aboard the *S.S. Edison,* I see many of the class of 1950 from good old T.A.E.

In the main ballroom I hear Pete Genovese and his famous jazz orchestra. Among those in the band are Edward Hackett and his sizzling trumpet, Larry Wicks and his "hot" piano, and John Elmquist, replacing Perry Como, vocalist. Peter and his Palpitators are doing their best to revive that good old stand-by, Be Bop.

Over in a corner we see the secretaries Anne Brucato, Pat Stansfield, Arla Stumpff, Pat Stuart, Pat Kimball, Dorothy Butrey, Alice Palladino, Mildred Petelchuk, and Carol Wilson discussing salaries and bosses.

Three of my former classmates have joined forces. Joan Frendberg designs clothes, Rosemarie Bahantka models them, and Pat Turner sells them.

We just passed the ten-mile gambling limit, so Louis Davis, Dick Kehoe, Frank Kerbein, Arthur Butler, and Jack Nickerson are off in a corner, playing cards.

Norma Updyke, recreational director, is looking for someone to do push-ups with her

Harry Shepard, the famous golf pro of St. Andrews, is trying to give some golf pointers to a group of adoring females.

Ready to take care of any sea sick passengers are nurses Marilyn Crans, Barbara Hammond, Barbara Neal, Pat Weed and Dr. Lorraine Soper.

In charge of the theater here on board is Teddy Chapman, assisted by Marjorie Lewis, ticket seller and Nancy Ermold, candy seller.

Ronald Gustin, fire chief is rushing around looking for lighted matches.

The evening program is about to begin. Richard Miller, replacing Olsen in the Olsen-Johnson team is on the stage.

Is that Don Moore, down on the knees proposing to Katherine Pastuzak? No, I guess he's only singing "Mammy."

Standing at the helm reciting poetry is Joan LeMunyan.

I see Bill Young showing his coin collection to Carlton Thomas, famous publisher of comic books.

Stosh Northrop, the new coach of T.A.E. and Robert Satterlee are discussing Bob's job at the atomic energy plant at Oakridge.

Dick Ordway, pilot, is debating the subject of milk delivery by plane with Warren Schultz and Gary May.

SENIOR PROPHECY

Sleeping in a deck chair is Dick Guidus.

Trying to make another conquest is Mike Fell, who has just divorced his 15th wife. (He's the new Artie Shaw!)

On a vacation away from their husbands are Alice Adams, wife of Chuck Dayton, Amelia Hable, (now Mrs. Ray Forker), Mrs. Robert Hess, (the former Betty Jane Zepp) and Giovina Liberatore, now Mrs. Richard Butts.

B.B.T. (Big Business Tycoons) David Obuhanych, Lee Palmer, and Don Soper are playing tiddledy winks.

James Hardy, radio announcer; Betty Belknap, telephone operator; Walter Palmer, electrician; and Leo Valego, mechanic are playing shuffleboard.

Dorothy Spears, veterinarian, and Janet Strong, professional horseback rider are traveling to England for the Grand National Race.

Scientist Jerome Spirawk, Dentist Carl Pesesky, and Norman Wood (who is just back from Siberia) are swimming in the pool.

Sitting on top of the flag pole is isolationist Harold Petticrew.

Pat Hageman, the noted writer, is working on her new book, "Life in a Cork-Screw Factory."

My! My! there's Francis Trumble, the famous actor replacing Enzio Pinza in South Pacific.

Talking over old times are Mary Palladino, designer, Mildred Petelchuk, book-keeper and Phyllis Hoyt, Dental Hygienist. Mae Anne Hausberg, an executive at TWA just strolled by.

What's that? First call to dinner? Well, I must be paddling along.—

SENIOR OFFICERS

President . . . . . Carl Pesesky
Vice-President . . . . Edward Fell
Secretary . . . . Mildred Petelchuk
Treasurer . . . . . Ronald Gustin

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE CLASS OF 1950

Alice Adams wills to Barbara Richardson her seat in the senior class.
Rosemarie Bahantka wills to Joyce Spirawk her alarm clock so she can get to school by 8:45.
Betty Belknap wills to Margaret Huddle her seat in Room 19.
Paul Brigham wills to any unfortunate who does not have it, the will to learn to dance.
Anne Brucato wills to Elva Danque her "ability" to remember how to do the motions to the new yells at the games.
Dorothy Butrey wills to Harriett Neal her ability to get along with a certain somebody from Watkins Glen.
Theodore Chapman wills his mechanical drawing board to any future student.
Marilyn Crans wills her drum-majorette uniform to Jerry Dwyer.
John Elmquist wills to Wasyl Balash his seat in detention.
Mildred Elmquist wills to Gopher Palmer her baton—he may have use for it.
Nancy Ermold wills to Sylvia Blose her telephone conversations with a certain Glenn.
Edward Fell wills his ability to stay in school to Fuzzy.
Joan Frendberg wills to Marilyn Huff her ability to be stylishly late.
Peter Genovese wills his tan to Don Narde, another Irishman.
Richard Guidus wills "Our Country" to Ted Staviski.
Ronald Gustin wills to Johnny Kerbein his book reports.
Amelia Hable wills her ability to cook to Jean Knox.
Edward Hackett wills to Jack Emmick his ability to stay out of trouble in band.
Patricia Hageman wills four years of high school fun to anyone who wants it.
Barbara Hammond wills to Dodo Samchishen her troubles in public speaking class.
James Hardy wills to any qualified boy the privilege of running out of class when the siren blows.
Mae Ann Hausberg wills to Delphine Purhenn her extra sandwich at noon.
Phyllis Hoyt wills to Jo Misuraca all her book reports.
Richard Kehoe wills his floor sweeping job in shop to Don Narde.
Patricia Kimball wills to Joan Coon my ability to be pleasingly plump.
Joan LeMunyan wills to Gopher Palmer her majorette uniform. Here's hoping it fits.
Giovina Liberatore wills to any freshman her 3 year reserved seat in Mr. Bachus General Science class.
Gary May wills to Farmer Sobkowski his ability to take a girl out on a date.
Richard Miller wills to Martyn Richardson one moth-eaten bear skin coat.
Donald Moore wills his talkative nature to whoever needs it.
Barbara Neal wills to Willie Neal her ability to put up her hair before midnight on school nights.
Jack Nickerson wills a taxi to Norma Updike who is a good driver.
Stanton Northrop wills to Jack Payne his ability to get along with the teachers.
David Obuhanych wills his ability to be football manager to Jerry Dwyer and Ray Zelko.
Richard Ordway wills to anyone who can stand it for 2 years, his seat in French class.
Alice Palladino wills to Joan Kadlec her ability to write 32 page notes.
Mary Palladino wills her gym suit to Denny Dougherty.
Lee Palmer wills his heavyweight championship to anyone who will fight Ace Parker.
Walter Palmer wills his English book to Lionel Peterson.
Katherine Pastuzak wills her four years of fun in high school to anyone in the Freshman Class.
Carl Pesesky wills his technique to Glamor Boy Rundle.
Mildred Petelchuk wills to Marlene and Cliff the steps going down to gym (after school).
Harold Petticrew wills to Mike Skalko his muscular build.
Robert Saterlee wills his love of the reckless to Amos Ranck.
Warren Schultz wills to Janet Strong his ability to pass all his subjects in one year.
Harry Shepard wills to anyone who understands Greek, his book of French II.
Edward Sobkowski wills his boxing ability to Charlie Scriven.
Donald Soper wills to Joe Allen his soap eraser.
Lorraine Soper wills to Harley Forrest her ability to get social studies homework done on time.
Dorothy Spears wills her ability to get a certain friend at Southside to Grace Robbins.
Jerome Spirawk wills his little black book to Jack Payne (he probably doesn't need it).
Patricia Stuart wills to Donnie Stuart her ability to get through high school.
Janet Strong wills to Barbara Butts her ability to get all the dates she wants.
Arla Stumpff wills to Mary Gilbert her pencils so she can have full use of them.
Carlton Thomas wills all his funny books to Mr. Terry.
Francis Trumble wills to Danny Pasielski, his brains.
Patricia Turner wills her daily apple to Alice Hall.
Norma Updike wills her faithful old Ford to anyone who can afford the insurance.
Margaret Valego wills to Loretta Straley the ability not to be absent from school.
Patricia Weed wills her sickness before every game to Joy Spirawk.
Larry Wicks wills his place at the piano to Robert Meade.
Carol Wilson wills to Marilyn Huff her ability to sell Candy.
Norman Wood wills his thumb to Mickey Skalko and long may it be remembered.
William Young wills to Jim Dieterle his ping-pong paddle.
Betty Jane Zepp wills to any student the ability to make second honors and not take 5 years to do it in.

WHAT I'LL MISS MOST

ALICE ADAMS–The only warm place in school by the main office.
ROSEMARIE BAHANTKA–running to school to catch the bus before it leaves for the games.
BETTY BELKNAP–morning and afternoon gab sessions in the girls room.
PAUL BRIGHAM–girls.
ANNE BRUCATO–numbering boxes and boxes of tickets for Mr. Cleveland.
DOROTHY BUTREY–Pete and I "fixing" Rosie's locker.
THEODORE CHAPMAN–mechanical drawing class.
MARILYN CRANS–leading the band in football games.
LOUIS DAVIS–nothing connected with T.A.E. High School.
JOHN ELMQUIST–detention and girls.
MILDRED ELMQUIST–Miss Lyons bookkeeping class.
NANCY ERMOLD–Mr. Dwyer's 5th period social studies class.
EDWARD FELL–the little drizzle of water from the drinking fountains.
JOAN FRENDBERG–Mrs. Stuart talking in that funny language.
PETER GENOVESE–those "tomatoes."
RICHARD GUIDUS–cold water in the drinking fountains.
RONALD GUSTIN–getting out of school to go to fires.
AMELIA HABLE–7th period cooking class.
EDWARD HACKETT–sitting with Jack Nickerson in Male Glee Club.
PATRICIA HAGEMAN–everything about and around T.A.E.
BARBARA HAMMOND–cool, cool water.
JAMES HARDY–riding to school with Warren Schultz.
MAE ANN HAUSBERG–Mr. Guidus' whistle in study hall.
PHYLLIS HOYT–Mrs. Klungle and Mr. Dwyer's conversations.
JOHN JURUSIK–Miss Howard's art class.
RICHARD KEHOE–the boiler room.
PATRICIA KIMBALL–those wonderful games we have.
JOAN LE MUNYAN–my favorite class "detention."
GIOVINA LIBERATORE–John Elmquist and Pete Genovese sense of humor in English class.
GARY MAY–not being able to tell Don Soper how nice his girl is.
DONALD MOORE–borrowing typing paper from Walt Palmer and Gret Updyke.
BARBARA NEAL–Mr. Guidus whistling in 1st period studyhall.
JACK NICKERSON–Mr. Dwyer's good stories in Social Studies Class.
STANTON NORTHROP–long, sleepy, first period study halls.
DAVID OBUHANYCH–Burning phosphorous and putting the gas in Pat Weed's hair in chemistry
RICHARD ORDWAY–sports.
ALICE PALLADINO–the Class of '50 girls basketball team and all sports.
MARY PALLADINO–all the games.
LEE PALMER–nothing–I'll be back next year.
WALTER PALMER–the cool drinking water.
KATHERINE PASTUZAK–the vacations.
CARL PESESKY–football and the boys.
MILDRED PETELCHUK–the kids and running to school.
HAROLD PETTICREW–explosions in chemistry class.
ROBERT SATTERLEE–the friendly spirit of the students.
WARREN SCHULTZ–a certain girl in an underclass.
HARRY SHEPARD–pulling the curtains for the Music Department.
EDWARD SOBKOWSKI–Home Economics.
DONALD SOPER–football and my friends.
LORRAINE SOPER–the music department–for better or for worse.
DOROTHY SPEARS–girls interclass basketball games.
JEROME SPIRAWK–Miss Sheeder's book reports.
PATRICIA STUART–daily chats in the girls room with Arla.
JANET STRONG–Mr. Dwyer's conversation period.
ARLA STUMPFF–T.A.E. in general.
CARLTON THOMAS–getting up at 8:30.
FRANCIS TRUMBLE–detention.
PATRICIA TURNER–the friendly attitude of T.A.E. teachers and students.
NORMA UPDYKE–gym, kids, teachers, fun–golly, everything!
MARGARET VALEGO–the crowded mirror in the girls room.
PATRICIA WEED–cheerleading.
LAWRENCE WICKS–Mixed Choir.
CAROL WILSON–Mr. Cheplick's algebra class.
NORMAN WOOD–guys that break your neck in the hall.
WILLIAM YOUNG–a certain freshman.
BETTY JANE ZEPP–having fun in school.

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

As our squad received the kickoff from T.A.E., we drove into our Freshman year. Here we started our plays in motion by quickly electing officers. The lineup was:

President . . . . . Frank Oliver
Vice-President . . . . . Gary May
Secretary . . . . . Patricia Turner
Treasurer . . . . . Richard Miller

With these officers at the head of our squad, we sponsored a Thanksgiving Dance, a play called, "The Birds Christmas Carol," for a Christmas Assembly, and with these our first season in High School was very successful.

When the squad became more experienced in high school, we began to use more plays around the ends. As we drove to midfield we started our season by bringing our new officers out in the open. Our leading players were:

President . . . . . Carl Pesesky
Vice-President . . . . . Frank Oliver
Secretary . . . . . Patricia Turner
Treasurer . . . . . Richard Miller

With this lineup, we held dances after the games and at the half we held a dance in honor of the seniors.

Starting the third quarter, we began to bring more of our plays out in the open. These plays were led by our:

President . . . . . Frank Oliver
Vice-President . . . . . Carl Pesesky
Secretary . . . . . Nancy Ermold
Treasurer . . . . . Ronald Gustin

We used these new plays to a great advantage by first presenting our Junior Play, "Arsenic and Old Lace." The next important move of our squad was the Junior-Senior banquet and dance, which was very successful. With these two major events, we head for our goal.

Drawing to the ten-yard line we entered our senior year. With the capable leadership of our coach, Mr. Cleveland, the new squad:

President . . . . . Carl Pesesky
Vice-President . . . . . Edward Fell
Secretary . . . . . Mildred Petelchuk
Treasurer . . . . . Ronald Gustin

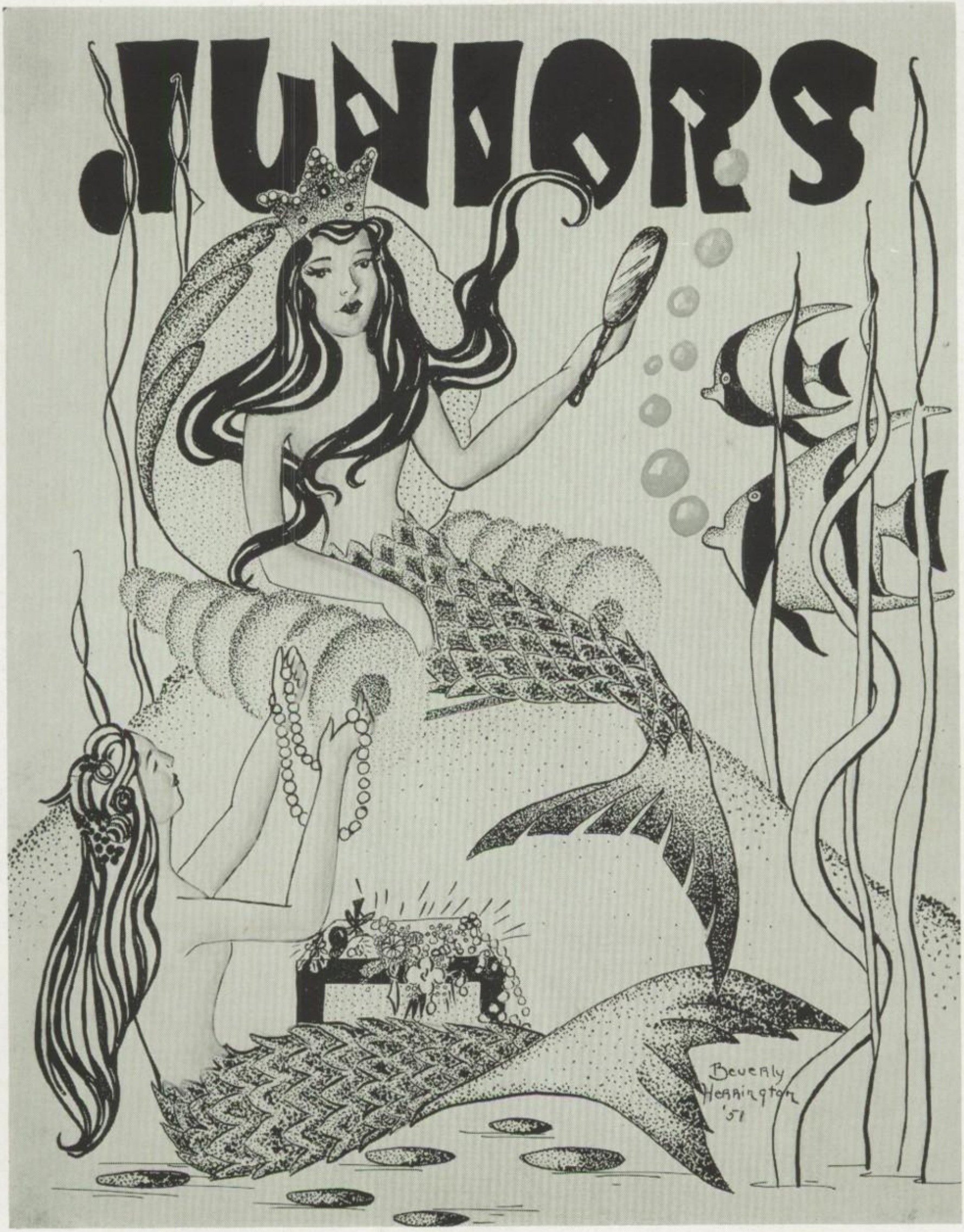
We sponsored a play, "Mother is a Freshman," sold Christmas Candy, and had a picnic for the Class of 1951.

With this long drive behind us, the Class of 1950, crossed the goal on June 26, 1950.

The Class of 1950 is now ready to drive for the extra point. The fun and happiness we had in working together in our game, shall be long remembered.

PET PEEVES

ALICE ADAMS–kids that stop in the middle of the halls to talk.
ROSEMARIE BAHANTKA–being called Rose and fighting with Pete between classes.
BETTY BELKNAP–students who stand and crowd the halls so you can hardly move.
BAUL BRIGHAM–rules that don't make sense to me.
ANNE BRUCATO–waiting "hours" for Rosie to get ready for the games.
DOROTHY BUTREY–teachers who give assignments a minute before the bell.
THEODORE CHAPMAN–girls who borrow gum continually in social studies class.
MARILYN CRANS–conversations boys have in 6th and 7th period art classes.
LOUIS DAVIS–school in general.
JOHN ELMQUIST–grouchy teachers.
MILDRED ELMQUIST–gum snapping.
NANCY ERMOLD–being called "Hips."
EDWARD FELL–a quiet study hall.
JOAN FRENDBERG–gymn class.
PETER GENOVESE–"the big phonies."
RICHARD GUIDUS–having to have report cards due on Friday.
RONALD GUSTIN–Monday mornings.
AMELIA HABLE–shoving in the hall.
EDWARD HACKETT–detention.
PATRICIA HAGEMAN–bad manners.
BARBARA HAMMOND–those "Light Bulb" comments.
JAMES HARDY–school in the morning.
MAE ANN HASBURG–being called "Mae" (I have a middle name, too).
PHYLLIS HOYT–Romance in the halls.
JOHN JURUSIK–detention.
PATRICIA KIMBALL–when they call me "Fat Pat."
JOAN LE MUNYAN–being called "rumples" or "Joanne."
GIOVINA LIBERATORE–being called "Guinea."
GARY MAY–somebody by the name of Norma squirting innocent people like me with a squirt gun.
DONALD MOORE–book reports.
BARBARA NEAL–Latin III homework.
JACK NICKERSON–that big word DETENTION!
STANTON NORTHROP–a solo for two years in a row in a song "'Twas the Night Before Xmas."
DAVID OBUHANYCH–Chemistry lab on Mondays 8th period.
RICHARD ORDWAY–having chemistry last period.
ALICE PALLADINO–those underclass teams who think they can beat the seniors in girls basketball.
MARY PALLADINO–teachers who won't let kids talk in their study halls.
LEE PALMER–being chased out of the halls.
WALTER PALMER–the teachers.
KATHERINE PASTUZAK–oral reports.
CARL PESESKY–being chased out of halls every morning.
MILDRED PETELCHUK–students who crack gum.
HAROLD PETTICREW–homework in social studies.
ROBERT SATERLEE–Pete's phoney vocabulary.
WARREN SCHULTZ–a certain noisy girl.
HARRY SHEPARD–Pete's lessons on golf.
EDWARD SOBKOWSKI–not being able to play on the varsity this year.
DONALD SOPER–homework.
LORRAINE SOPER–combustible materials in the lab.
DOROTHY SPEARS–a certain fellow going to Southside rather than the Heights.
JEROME SPIRAWK–the teachers making more noise than the kids.
PATRICIA STUART–"Sharky" Hughson.
JANET STRONG–souvenir collectors and unreliable friends.
ARLA STUMPFF–girls cracking gum.
CARLTON THOMAS–people who talk too much, and too loud.
FRANCIS TRUMBLE–homework.
PATRICIA TURNER–short boys.
NORMA UPDIKE–boys socking girls or vice versa.
MARGARET VALEGO–being picked on in gym class.
PATRICIA WEED–Joy Spirawk yelling for me when I am right in front of her.
LAWRENCE WICKS–crowded halls.
CAROL WILSON–certain boys in homeroom 17.
NORMAN WOOD–assemblies during my study halls.
WILLIAM YOUNG–a noisy girl in homeroom.
BETTY JANE ZEPP–people pushing you around in the halls.


JUNIORS
Beverly
Herrington
'51

THE JUNIOR CLASS

June Albright
Dean Anderson
Raymond Audas
Anne Barcus
Blanche Bixby
Edward Brusso
Norma Butler
Richard Button
Barbara Butts
Buddy Clemons
Elva Danque
Dorothy DeGolyer
Harry Ellman
Ralph Erickson
Sonia Ewsuk
Doris Fassett

John Feshoh
Dean Foster
Norma Gearhart
Mary Gilbert
Clara Haight
Beverly Herrington
Marilyn Huff
Lois Hugg
Irene Hughes
Charlene Hughson
Edward Janes
Stanley Jankowski
Clair Johnson
John Kerbein
Joyce Kiser
Marian Klebert

THE JUNIOR CLASS

Emil Kozemko
Joyce Little
Anna MacBlane
Virginia Matejcek
Patricia Middaugh
William Misnick
Josephine Misuraca
Donald Narde
Harriett Neal
Eleanor Oprysko
Faye Packard
Daniel Pasielski
Jack Payne
Carol Pettit
Elizabeth Pleesa
Clifford Proper
Delphine Purhenn
Amos Ranck
Elsie Raupers
Barbara Richardson
Dale Rumsmoke
Robert Rundle
Raymond Schiefen
Joy Spirawk
Joyce Spirawk
Marian Spraker
Theodore Staviski
Ramona Strope
Robert Sudlow
Patricia Tarby
Bertha Weakland
Dean Wheet
John Woodruff
Ruth Woodruff

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

As green freshmen we started our first year at T.A.E. with many activities. Selling pencils with sport schedules on them and also selling personalized cards and stationery were our systems of raising money. We put on a pageant as an assembly program "Sharing America" for National Education Week. We climaxed our freshman year with Sub-Freshman Day in which we introduced the Class of 1952 to T.A.E.

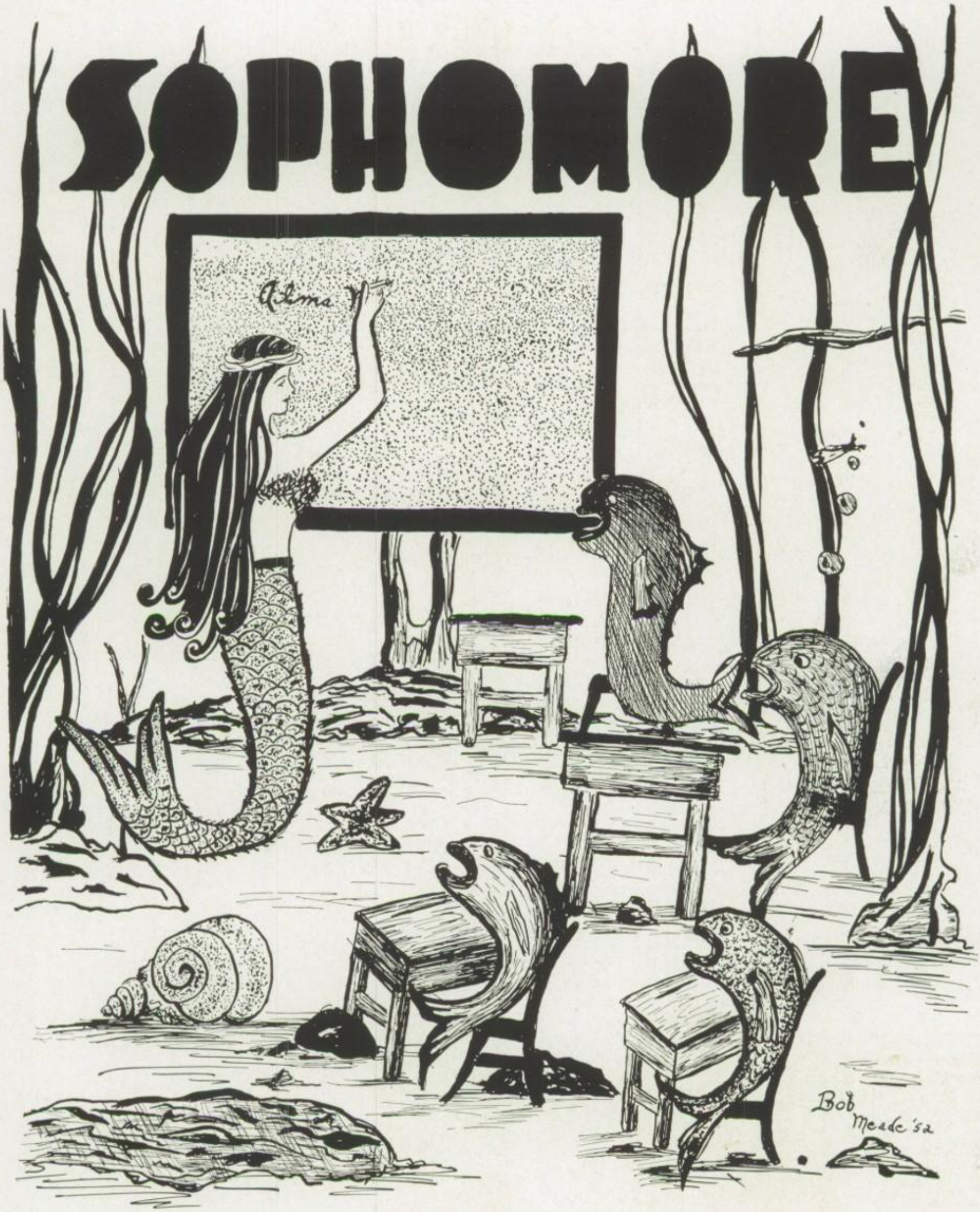
Our sophomore year again found us selling pencils. The assembly that year was a historical pageant for Thanksgiving. Movies were shown after school to raise money. Class Day we presented the annual dance honoring the Seniors. It had a barn-yard theme and was known as the "Hayseed Hop."

In our Junior year we had a very successful magazine subscription campaign and we also sold refreshments at the football and basketball games. We ordered our class rings which were delivered the last of February. Our Junior Year was climaxed by the annual Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom.

JUNIOR OFFICERS

President . . . . . Lois Hugg
Vice-President . . Joyce Spirawk
Secretary . . . . Norma Gearhart
Treasurer . . . . . Doris Fassett

SOPHOMORE



SOPHOMORE GIRLS

Row 1—Barbara Corey, Evelyn Bliss, Rose Senkiw, Betty Malloy, Sharon Danks, Gretchen Updyke, Lois Goodwin, Charlotte Knox, Connie MacDonald, Jean Ostrander, Lorraine Brown

Row 2—Jeannine Marcy, Dorothy Hower, Lila Mae Brigham, Carole Rose, Patricia Stoll, Marjorie Robinson, Peggy O'Neal, Margaret Crum, Lillian Hritsko, Dorothy Samchisen

Row 3—Carol Miller, June McCann, Joyce Dacey, Alice Hall, Janis DeGolyer, Joan Kadlec, Sylvia Blose, Loretta Straley, Florence Kendall

Row 4—Doris Clark, Lucy Asher, Grace Robbins, Veronica Sekella, Joyce Palmer, Evelyn Huff, Jean Ann Rosplock, Peggy Espey, Marlene Borck

SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

President . . . . . Gerald Watson
Vice-President . . . Robert Meade
Secretary . . . . Gretchen Updike
Treasurer . . . . . Sharon Danks

SOPHOMORE BOYS

Row 1—James Ingram, Robert Meade, Robert Ranck, Gerald Watson, Thomas Woughter, Edward Way, Donald Moschek, John Kordyl

Row 2—Wesley Middaugh, Jack Cleary, Daniel Compton, Richard McDonald, Richard Saxbury, Douglas Washburn, Monroe Stanton, Robert Berggren, Duane Smith

Row 3—Jack Emmick, Lynn Doane, Michael Skalko, John Fitzgerald, LaRue Purhenn, Charles Scriven, George Myers, Francis Touschner, Paul Bjorck

Row 4—Donald Stuart, James Krystof, Dale Hurd, Lionel Peterson, Martyn Richardson, Dennis Dougherty, Phillip Weigle, Gerald Truax, Joseph Allen, Welling Storch, Frank Matkosky, John Morich

Sophomore Class History

With our first year over we tried our luck at being sophomores. During the first semester we sponsored the "Twirp Dance." It was a big success and we wish to make it outstanding in the years to follow. Next, we exchanged used clothing with a family in Kentucky for Christmas holly. This project was our good deed for the year.

We are looking forward to sponsoring a dance for the Seniors at the end of the year and we hope that this will be as successful as the previous dance held in their honor.

FRESHMEN
GERALD DWYER '53

FRESHMAN GIRLS

Row 1—Janice Preston, Joan Rothchild, Phyllis Adams, Marilyn Smith, Jessie Wilcox, Bertha Tompkins, Jean Kline, Dorothy Way, Sandra Porter, Nadine Andrews, Mary MacBlane

Row 2—Irene Jankowski, Barbara Moore, Nancy Hugg, Barbara Atkinson, Sylvia Huggins, Betty Kadlec, Glenda Chambers, Joan Coon, Shirley Gregory, Susan Balcom, Helen Kerrick

Row 3—Joan Thomas, Gail Sigland, Beverly Hartman, Freda Snell, Shirley Hitchcock, Eleanor Butts, Jo Anne Marvin, Barbara Trumpp, Helen Personius, Joyce Bohn, Peggy Vinsik

Row 4—Dorothy Benesh, Yvonne Bush, Mary Lou Stuart, Shiela Murphy, Marilyn Baldwin, Ruth Smith, Janet Burdick, Shirley Hotchkiss, Barbara Parda, Beverly Campbell, Wilda Neal

FRESHMAN OFFICERS

President . . . . . Carl Spirawk
Vice-President . . Roger Palmer
Secretary . . . . . Helen Kerrick
Treasurer . . . . Marilyn Baldwin

FRESHMAN BOYS

Row 1—Robert Brisco, Ronald Hubbard, Charles Genung, Robert Albright, Richard Hutchison, Pearly Ames, Clayton Senkiw, Raymond Zelko, Gerald Dwyer, Elmer Stanton

Row 2—Robert Baker, Douglas Kingsley, Gordon Swan, Claude Hable, Wilbur Edgar, William Goldsmith, Roy Elmquist, Roman Hamula, James Gilkeson, Jerry Brown, Frank Bonyak, Kenneth Smith, Norman Personius

Row 3—William Smith, Raymond Rounds, Roger Palmer, Thomas Haight, Thomas Kosloski, Terry Doane, Lewis Beemer, Bernard MacNamara, David Rutty, Ronald Horne, Donald Smith, Robert Wilson

Row 4—Carl Spirawk, Richard Beemer, Phillip Morris, Gerald Dougherty, Robert Weaver, William Kowulich, Robert Biddle, Francis Palladino, Willis Bennett, William Jamelski, Jerry Gilbert, Franklin Freeborne, James Ervine, Lloyd Weston, William Staviski, James Collins

Freshman Class History

The year opened with the election of officers, and the following were chosen to guide the class this year:

President	Carl Spirawk
Vice-President	Roger Palmer
Secretary	Helen Kerrick
Treasurer	Marilyn Baldwin

Since our financial needs are small, very few activities were undertaken for the raising of money. Prior to the Christmas Holidays, the class sold circus tickets. Our advisor for the year was Mr. Cheplick.

The Freshman Class won first prize in the window decorating contest sponsored by the merchants at Halloween.

T. A. E. H

1. *Most Studious* . . . . . Patricia Hageman, Larry Wicks
2. *Abbreviated* . . . . . David Obuhanych, Arla Stumpff
3. *Most Versatile* . . . . . Norma Updyke, Stanton Northrop
4. *Best Sense of Humor* . . . . Joan LeMunyan, John Elmquist
5. *Best Athletes* . . . . . Norma Updyke, Stanton Northrop
6. *Elevated* . . . . . Patricia Turner, Ronald Gustin
7. *Quietest* . . . . . Carlton Thomas, Carol Wilson
8. *Most Dramatic Ability* . . Harry Shephard, Joan Frendberg
9. *Best Dancers* . . . . . Gary May, Mae Anne Hausberg

# of Fame

10. *Best Natured* . . . . . Lee Palmer, Alice Palladino
11. *Most Dependable* . . . . . Patricia Turner, Carl Pesesky
12. *Songbirds* . . . . . Donald Moore, Marilyn Crans
13. *Biggest Eaters* . . . . . Patricia Kimball, John Elmquist
14. *Nicest Smile* . . . . . Gary May, Patricia Weed
15. *Most Likely to Succeed* . . . Joan Frendberg, Harry Shepard
16. *Bashful* . . . . . Alice Adams, William Young
17. *Sophisticated* . . . . . Anne Brucato, Jerome Spirawk
18. *Most Courteous* . . . . . Alice Adams, Larry Wicks
19. *Does Most for Class* . . . . Patricia Kimball, Richard Miller

EIGHTH GRADE

SEVENTH GRADE

Light Bulb
MARILYN CRANS '50

STUDENT COUNCIL

Row 1—Carol Pettit, Carol Miller, Wilda Neal, Richard Miller, Eleanor Opriska, Lois Hugg, Lillian Hritsko

Row 2—Amos Ranck, Lee Palmer, Gary May, Carl Pesesky, Stanton Northrop

Row 3—Richard Beemer, Carl Spirawk, Mr. Dwyer, Martyn Richardson, Bernard MacNamara, Gerald Watson

History of the Student Council

After two weeks of frenzied electioneering, Richard Miller was elected president of the Thomas A. Edison High School Student Council. Our Student Council's purpose is to work with the faculty to promote school activities, and to foster high ideals of citizenship and scholarship.

The officers who were elected are:

Vice-President	Stanton Northrop
Recording Secretary	Wilda Neal
Corresponding Secretary	Gary May
Treasurer	Lee Palmer

The Student Council's big achievement for this year was to present the school with an American Flag and also a bright orange and blue school flag. They planned pep fests and started the idea of holding Student Council-Faculty meetings.

The organization has been successful in all its undertakings through the co-operation of both students and faculty.

In the near future we hope to have meetings with all the other Student Councils in the county.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Rosemarie Bahantka, Anne Brucato, Elva Danque, Patricia Stansfield, Patricia Weed, Joy Spirawk

The Cheerleaders this year organized for the first time as a Club. Officers were chosen and a set of rules drawn up.

The Varsity were presented with their letters in the beginning of the year which started their activities rolling. A "Back to School Dance" the second week of school was their first big step. They got new skirts and sweaters for Football season. Hard earned pep fests and assemblies aroused the spirit of the student body.

Both Varsity and Jayvees got new basketball uniforms and many new cheers. Exciting, close games kept both squads well on their toes and in expert cheering condition.

We wish to thank our advisor, Mrs. Edna Van Orman for all her help and the many good times we have had with her.

President ..... Patricia Weed
Vice-President ..... Joyce Spirawk
Secretary ..... Elva Danque
Treasurer ..... Gretchen Updike

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders

Joyce Spirawk, June Albright, Marlene Borck, Sharon Danks, Lois Hugg, Gretchen Updyke.

JUNIOR PLAY

"Arsenic and Old Lace"

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Abby Brewster
Giovina Liberatore

Rev. Dr. Harper
Harold Petticrew

Teddy Brewster
Francis Trumble

Officer Brophy
Theodore Chapman

Officer Klein
Ronald Gustin

Martha Brewster
Joan LeMunyan

Elaine Harper
Joan Frendberg

Mortimer Brewster
Harry Shepard

Mr. Gibbs
David Obuhanych

Jonathan Brewster
Frank Oliver

Dr. Einstein
Larry Wicks

Officer O'Hara
Richard Guidus

Lt. Rooney
Edward Hackett

Mr. Witherspoon
John Elmquist

1. *Left to right:* Harry Shepard, Joan Frendberg, Giovina Liberatore. Frances Trumble, Joan LeMunyan.

2. *Row 1:* Mr. Guidus, David Obuhanych, Mr. Patocka, Mr. Swartout, Mr. Bachus, Mr. Lane.

Row 2: Mr. Terry, Mr. Green, Mr. Dwyer, Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Rumsmoke, Mr. Bills.

3. *Seated:* David Obuhanych, Frank Oliver, Giovina Liberatore, Francis Trumble, Joan LeMunyan, Theodore Chapman.
Standing: Larry Wicks, Harold Petticrew, John Elmquist, Joan LeMunyan, Harry Shepard, Edward Hackett, Richard Guidus, Ronald Gustin.

SENIOR PLAY

"Mother Was a Freshman"

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Abigail Fortitude Abbott
Joan Frendberg

Professor Michaels
Harry Shepard

Susan Abbott
Rosemarie Bahantka

Dean Gillingham
Larry Wicks

Helen
Patricia Turner

Sylvia
Patricia Hageman

Clara
Patricia Stansfield

Marge
Patricia Kimball

Howie
Peter Genovese

Mrs. Miller
Nancy Ermold

Bobo Jackson
Stanton Northrop

Bill
Lee Palmer

Jack
Richard Guidus

Carrie
Barbara Hammond

Bunny
Norma Updyke

Student Directors
Richard Miller, Marilyn Crans

1. *Seated:* Richard Guidus, Joan Frendberg, Stanton Northrop. *Standing:* Lee Palmer, Peter Genovese, Patricia Turner, Barbara Hammond, Norma Updyke

2. Joan Frendberg, Harry Shepard

3. *From left to right:* Peter Genovese, Norma Updyke, Lee Palmer, Barbara Hammond, Rosemarie Bahantka, Stanton Northrop, Richard Guidus, Patricia Turner

DRAMATIC CLUB

Row 1—Sharon Danks, Gretchen Updyke, Glenda Chambers, Joan LeMunyan, Dorothy Miller, Patricia Hageman, Betty Kadlec, Irene Jankowski, Marilyn Smith, Joan Rothchild

Row 2—Barbara Campbell, Joyce Bohn, Joan Kadlec, Virginia Matejcek, Marian Klebert, Patricia Turner, Veronica Sekella, Rosemarie Bahantka, Joan Frendberg, Barbara Hammond, Peggy Vinsek, Jessica Kroczynski

Row 3—Francis Palladino, Robert Meade, Paul Bjorck, Francis Trumble, Richard Guidus, Edward Hackett, Dale Rumsmoke, Harry Shepard, Daniel Pasielski, Gerald Dwyer, Donald Moore

The Thomas A. Edison Dramatic Club was reorganized this year due to the interest of our students. Perry Vinsek and Joan Rothchild were the promoters of the club. The group meets once every two weeks and besides studying plays, is attempting to reorganize the property room and recover the stage flats. It is open to any member of the high school body interested in dramatics; however, membership is limited to thirty members.

The main events of the year have included a one act play *A matter of Luck* directed by Barbara Campbell. At Christmas the play *While Mortals Sleep* was presented in connection with the Christmas party. From this group will be chosen the actors for our exchange program in May.

The officers include:

President	Harry Shepard
Vice-President	Joan Rothchild
Secretary-Treasurer	Gerald Dwyer
Publicity	Peggy Vinsek

GIRLS CHORUS

Edison High's Girls Chrous was outfitted in black skirts and white blouses with red ties. As our special project we turned our school into Christmas Cheer, by placing greens on the stairways and decorating the windows with Christmas scenes. We also presented a "Carol Sing" in the halls. As in each previous year we also participated in the Spring Concert. Some of the songs we sang were: "Danny Boy," "The Desert Song," "Green Cathedral" and "Now the Day is Over."

Any high school girl may be a member of this organization. This year we had our largest group in the history of the chorus—almost eighty girls blended their voices together every Tuesday and Thursday sixth period.

Our officers are:

President ..... Rosemarie Bahantka
Vice-President ..... Wilda Neal
Attendance Taker ..... Gretchen Updike
Accompanists ..... Carol Petit, Joan Rothchild, Janice Preston
Librarians ..... Mae Ann Hausburg, Nadine Andrews, Barbara Campbell

Row 1—Janice Preston, Nadine Andrews, Dorothy Way, Gretchen Updyke, Carole Rose, Joan Coon, Sharon Danks, Rose Senkiw, Jean Ostrander, Dorothy Dunn, Helen Kerick, Barbara Corey, Lois Goodwin, Phyllis Adams, Mary MacBlane

Row 2—Marilyn Smith, Barbara Moore, Janet Strong, Shirley Gregory, Alice Adams, Charlotte Knox, Clara Haight, Mary Gilbert, Lorraine Brown, Constance MacDonald, Carol Wilson, Glenda Chambers, Barbara Richardson, Barbara Atkinson, Dorothy Samchishen, Joan Rothschild, Joyce Little

Row 3—Patricia Stoll, Ruth Smith, Carol Pettit, Mae Anne Hausberg, Ruth Woodruff, Norman Butler, Beverly Herrington, Amelia Hable, Sheila Murphy

Row 4—Bonnie Bush, Mary Crum, Loretta Straley, Doris Clark, Joan Bohn, Marian Spraker, Joan Kadlec, Margaret Huddle, Anne Barcus

Row 5—Grace Robbins, Peggy Espey, Joyce Burdick, Wilda Neal, Gayle Siglin, Joyce Dacey, Charlene Hughson, Betty Kadlec, Jean Knox

Row 6—Harriett Neal, Marilyn Baldwin, Josephine Misuraca, Irene Jankowski, Carney Garey, Rosemarie Bahantka, Dorothy Benesh, Mary Lou Stuart, Shirley Hotchkiss, Joyce Palmer, Jean Rosplock, Delphine Purhenn, Shirley Hitchcock, Frieda Snell, Eleanor Butts, Barbara Butts

MIXED CHOIR

Row 1—Susanne Balcom, Patricia Cook, Lois Hugg, Marilyn Huff, Barbara Neal, Eleanor Opryska. Norma Updyke, Pat Kimball, Carole Miller, Elsie Raupers, Norma Gearhart, Lorraine Soper

Row 2—Katherine Pastuzak, Sylvia Blose, Joan LeMunyan, Jeannine Marcy, Irene Hughes, Anne Brucato, Marlene Borck, Veronica Sekella, Lucy Asher, Patricia Weed, Sonia Ewsuk, Blanche Bixby, Amelia Hable, Nancy Ermold, Nancy Hugg

Row 3—Mrs. Yohn, Dean Foster, Jerry Watson, Robert Meade, John Woodruff, Frank Bonyak, Marilyn Crans, Margaret Valego, Joy Spirawk, Patricia Hageman

Row 4—John Feshoh, Robert Rundle, Larry Wicks, Gary May, Clair Johnson, Richard Miller, Terry Doane, Ted Chapman

Row 5—Bernard MacNamara, Raymond Schieffen, Stanton Northrop, Edward Fell, Walter Palmer, Donald Moore, Frank Kerbein, Harry Ellman, Donald Hurd, Dean Wheet, Norman Wood, John Elmquist, Jack Payne, Monroe Stanton, James Collins

History of Mixed Choir

Each day the auditorium is filled with the melodius strains of our own T.A.E. Mixed Choir. Under the magic touch of Mrs. Yohn the Choir has steadily improved each year and added new activities to their schedule.

Included in our program were the Thanksgiving Assembly sponsored by the Sophomore Class, Christmas Assembly, Spring Concert and the Spring Festival. Mrs. Yohn plans to take the entire Music Department this year instead of just the Choir as last year. Nine of our members attended the Music Festival at Olean this year. All who applied were accepted. We were especially proud that two of our members, Donald Moore, and Susan Balcom, were given solo parts in the Festival. The Choir Mothers, Working under Mrs. Yohn and Mr. Johnson have done a great deal for us and cooperated a lot in helping us get to our destination for the Spring Festival. The climax of our year's activities came when we participated in Baccalaureate and Commencement.

MALE GLEE CLUB

This year the Male Glee Club had the greatest amount of members it has had in its history—48 members. We would like to have more. Any fellow who likes to sing can apply for membership.

This year the Glee Club had a part in the Christmas program. Together with the Girls Chorus, we decorated our school and presented a "Carol Sing."

This year we are planning to go to the Spring Festival and are looking forward to our Spring Concert.

Our officers were:

President ..... Jack Nickerson
Vice-President ..... Dennis Dougherty

Row 1—Douglas Kingsley, Robert Baker, Thomas Woughter, Carl Spirawk, Gerald Gilbert, Robert Biddle, Raymond Audas, Claude Hable, Larry Wicks, Mrs. Yohn

Row 2—Richard MacDonald, Francis Trumble, William Staviski, Welling Storch, Dale Hurd, Edward Hackett, Jack Nickerson, Gerald Truax, Jerome Spirawk, Richard Beemer, Donald Stuart

Row 3—Elmer Stanton, Donald Smith, Ronald Kingsley, Donald Moschek, Norman Personius, Monroe Stanton, Ronald Horne, Louis Beemer, Thomas Hakes, Peter Genovese

Row 4—Gerald Dwyer, Raymond Zelko, Roman Hamula, Gerald Watson, Gerald Dougherty, Martyn Richardson, Dennis Dougherty, Lynn Doane, John Kerbein, Howard Woughter, Dean Anderson

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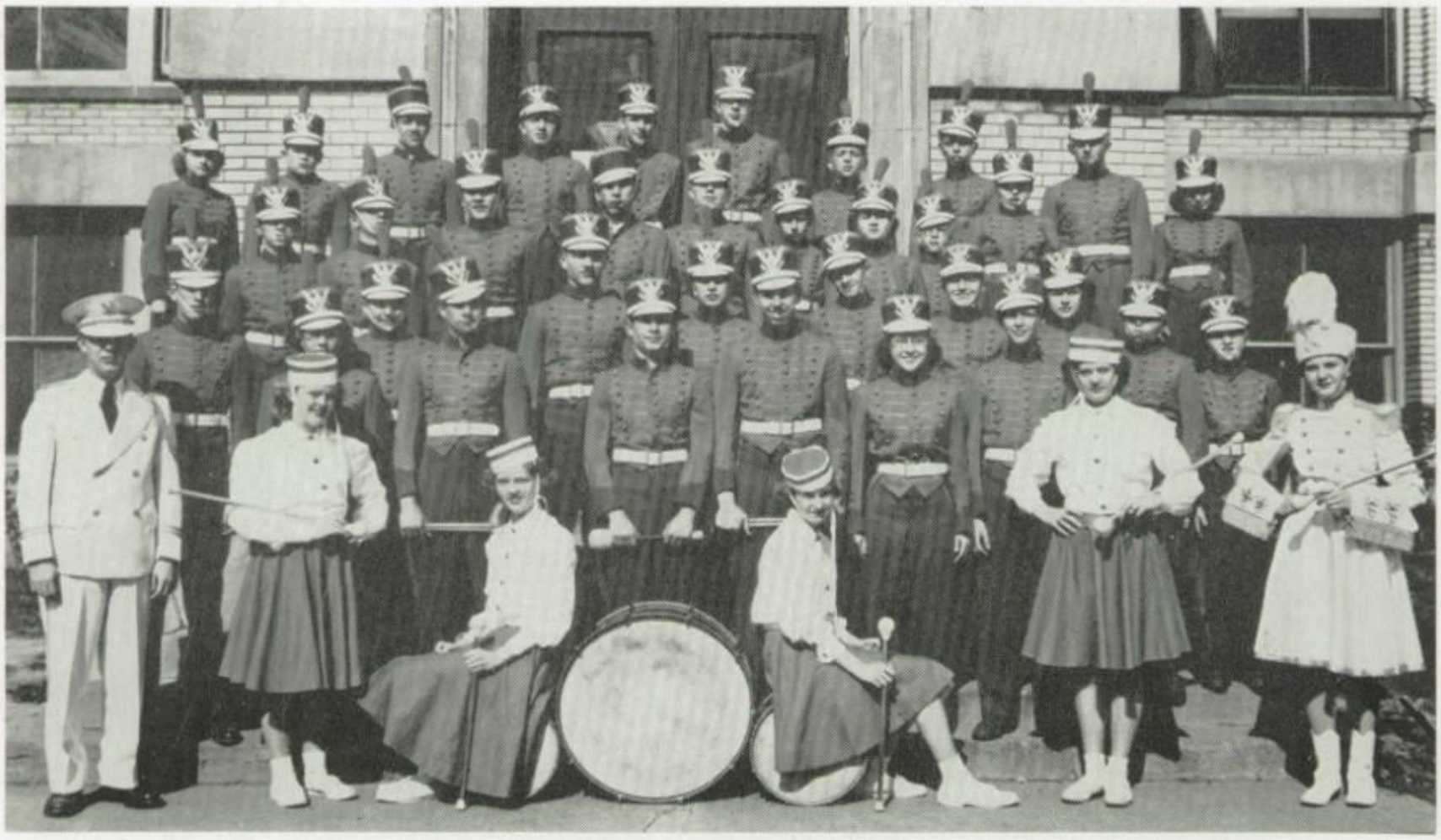


Row 1—Mr. Johnson, Carol Rose, Yvonne Bush, Mary Lou Stuart, Margaret Valego, Marilyn Crans

Row 2—Dean Wheet, Lila Brigham, Donald Narde, John Morich, James Krystoff, Dorothy Hower, Jack Emmick, Edward Janes, Charles Genung

Row 3—Gerald Brown, Clair Johnson, Mary Palladino, John Woodruff, Frank Bonyak, Jo Ann Mac Blane

Row 4—John Feshoh, Francis Paladino, Franklin Freeborn, Edward Hackett, Daniel Pasielski, Gordon Elford, Patricia Cook, Charles Besley, Edward Hall

Row 5—Ruth Woodruff, David Rutty, Richard Beemer, Paul Bjorck, Robert Weaver, Robert Sudlow, William Jamelski, Raymond Scieffen, Janis Preston

September 8, 1949, the T.A.E. Band members watched as the new director, Mr. Wesley Johnson stepped to his stand and raised his baton. Rehearsals had begun and would continue for five days a week until June 1950.

Aside from music, the band had to have practice in marching, so all Fall, Mr. Johnson drilled the band in marching around the football field. In their snappy orange and blue uniforms the band was an added attraction at home and out of town football games.

Ghosts marched merrily to the lively music of the band at the annual Halloween party given by the merchants of Elmira Heights. A month later found the band winning 3rd prize as it joined with several others in the Balloon Parade to welcome in the Christmas season.

The band also provided fine music for the Christmas program and the Fifth Spring Concert. T.A.E. can be justly proud of the quality of music played by these musicians.

The Junior Band practices three days a week and already has proved every bit as talented as the older students. These youngsters will take their places in the Concert Band as soon as they are ready.

EDISONGSTERS

Robert Meade, Larry Wicks,
Donald Moore, Donald Hurd

In September 1948 the Edisongsters, our Male Quartette was organized. It's membership then included: Robert Meade, 1st Tenor; Larry Wicks, 2nd Tenor; Donald Moore, Baritone; and Frank Oliver, Bass. This group received a One Rating at the Cortland Music Festival last Spring.

Since that time we have had two changes in personnel. The present membership includes Robert Meade, Frank Bonyak, Donald Moore and Donald Hurd. These boys often represent our school at many outside engagements and are working hard for another One Rating at Festival this Spring.

NEWSPAPER CLUB

Row 1—Joan Coon, Norma Gearhart, Katherine Pastuzak, Charlene Hughson, Patricia Kimball, Mary Gilbert, Dorothy Butrey, Elva Danque, Susan Balcom, Joyce Little

Row 2—Miss Lyon, Patricia Hageman, Jeannine Marcy, Blanche Bixby, Norma Updyke, Joan Frendberg, Eleanor Oprysko, Doris Fassett, Carol Pettit, Joan LeMunyan, Virginia Matejcek

Row 3—Dorothy DeGolyer, Marilyn Crans, Paul Brigham, Lloyd Weston, Robert Sudlow, Dale Rumsmoke, Harold Petticrew, Patricia Turner, Janis DeGolyer

The Light Bulb

The Newspaper Club started out with a bang this year with an enrollment of twenty-five in the club at the beginning of the year. We were very fortunate to have Miss Lyon back with us again.

Dale Rumsmoke and Patricia Turner represented our club in the National Newspaper Convention held in Syracuse. They brought many new ideas back with them.

T.A.E. Newspaper Club now is also a member of the National Pen & Scroll Club, which is quite an honor indeed.

To make money we sponsored ten cent dances after all home basketball games. Each week a member of the Club writes up the "School News" for the Sunday Telegram.

To climax the year of hard work and fun a St. Patrick's Dance and picnic were enjoyed.

Officers for the year were:

Editor . . . . . Patricia Turner
Assistant Editor . . . . . Patricia Hageman
Secretary . . . . . Elva Danque
Treasurer . . . . . Norma Gearhart
Parliamentarian . . . . . Patricia Hageman

LIBRARY COUNCIL

This year the Library Council voted for the Merit System whereby each girl has the opportunity to compete for points given for work performed in the library. The girl who accumulates the highest number of points, shows outstanding skill in duties performed and has the most pleasing personality will win the Library Service Award at graduation in June. Other awards to be given in May are keys for the Seniors, guards for the Juniors, and pins for the Sophomores. Freshmen will be on probation for the first term.

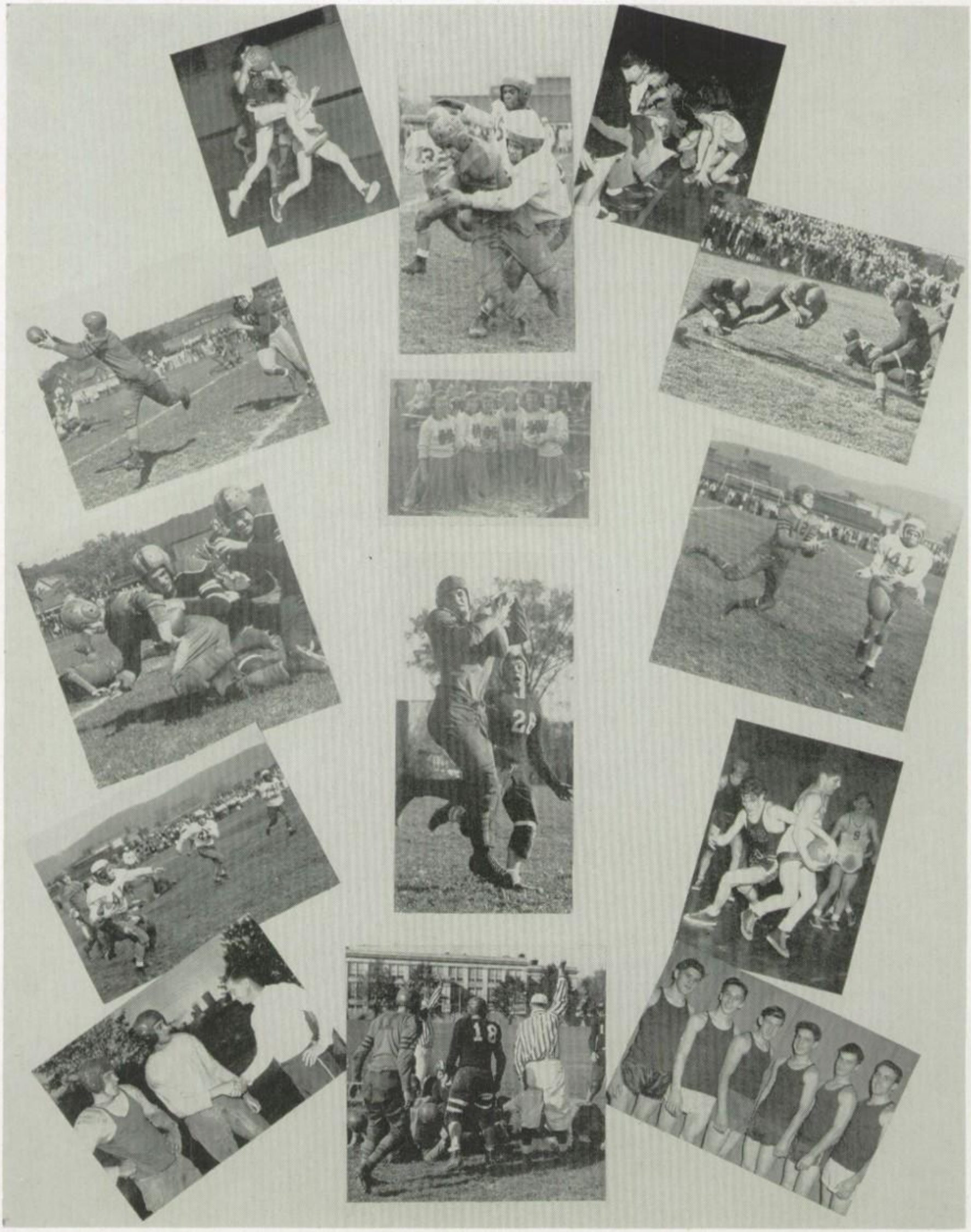
The officers for the 1949-1950 school year are: Patricia Kimball, President; Ann Brucato, Vice-President; Faye Packard, Secretary; Joyce Spirawk, Treasurer; and Eleanor Oprysko, Reporter.

"The Harvest Moon Hop", our annual Thanksgiving Eve dance, was most enjoyable with so many teachers, parents, alumni and students attending. Through the success of the dance and the sale of Christmas paper, our treasury swelled considerably. In this way we have financed the awards for the council members and bought the pots of ivy to beautify the library.

A delightful Christmas party, celebrated with the exchange of gifts was held at the Neal home. The three attractive Neal sisters were the charming hostesses.

Before the school year comes to a close, the Council plans to have a get-together at a Smorgasbord at the Mark Twain Hotel and a picnic supper at Harris Hill. The freshmen will be the hostesses and the Seniors, the guests.

Row 1—Joyce Spirawk, Eleanor Oprisko, Anne Brucato, Patricia Kimball, Faye Packard
Row 2—Rose Senkiw, Alice Hall, Carney Garey, Wilda Neal, Betty Kadlec, Irene Hughes, Joyce Little
Row 3—Joyce Bohn, Barbara Neal, Rosemarie Bahantka, Marian Klebert, Harriett Neal, Sheila Murphy, Joan Frendberg, Joan Kadlec, Mrs. Riley



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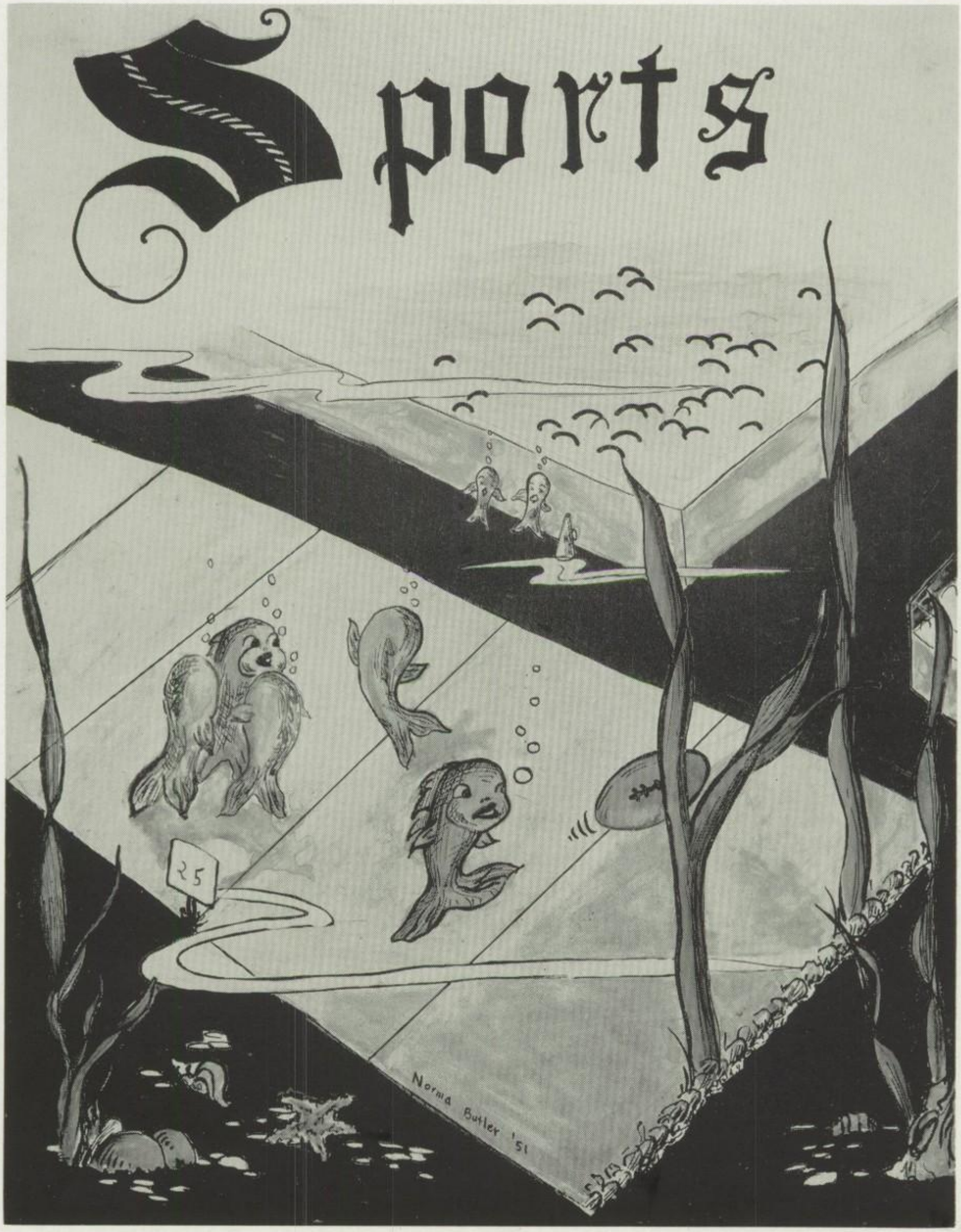

LEADERS CLUB

Row 1—Gretchen Updyke, Sharon Danks, Carol Rose, Patricia Stuart, Alice Palladino, Anna McBlane

Row 2—Margaret Valego, Joan Thomas, Dorothy Hower, Bonnie Bush, Arla Stumpff, Dorothy Spears, Mary Palladino, Eleanor Oprisko

Row 3—Norma Gearhart, Virginia Matejeck, Shirley Hotchkiss, Mary Crum, Beverly Herrington, Norma Butler, Mary Gilbert, Joan Coon, Mrs. Banfield

Under the able leadership of Mrs. Banfield, the Leaders Club has started on its first year with twenty-four members.

The girls were chosen at the beginning of the year by Mrs. Banfield for dependability, interest in sports, personality, leadership, and ability. Their job is to help conduct in Physical-Education classes and to plan the activities for the classes.

At Christmas time the different branches of the Leader's Club had a variety of parties. The first period class had breakfast at the Mayfair Diner. The second period class went to the Mark Twain Coffee Shop. The sixth period had a belated party in the gym office and the seventh period went to Iszard's Tea Room.

Plans are being made for a picnic in the spring. A Physical Education demonstration is also being planned.

These girls help Mrs. Banfield by taking attendance and taking charge of their squads.

GIRLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Under the leadership of Mrs. Banfield the G.A.A. has increased this year to about three times the size that it was last year. Many of the upper-classmen, as well as the Freshmen and Sophomores have joined. Basketball and volleyball playdays were enjoyed by all who participated. Each class had a basketball team and each had a turn to play all of the classes. The Seniors led, winning all of their games, the Sophomores were next, winning two, the Freshmen won one, and the Juniors lost all they played.

We elected officers as follows:

President . . . . . Norma Updyke
Secretary-Treasurer . . . . . Gretchen Updyke

Other sports such as shuffleboard, ping pong, badminton, and bowling were also played and enjoyed

Row 1—Janice Preston, Marjorie Lewis, Mildred Petelchuk, Jean Kline, Joyce Little, Sylvia Huggins, Barbara Butts, Joan Coon, Sharon Danks, Dorothy Way, Susan Balcom, Joan Rothschild, Mary MacBlane

Row 2—Glenda Chambers, Nancy Hugg, Barbara Moore, Patricia Kimball, Constance MacDonald, Irene Jankowski, Carol Pettit, Elva Danque, Norma Gearhart, Gretchen Updyke, Dorothy Samchishen, Shirley Gregory

Row 3—Alice Palladino, Joan Thomas, Beverly Herrington, Joan Kadlec, Mary Crum, Wilda Neal, Dorothy Benesh, Marlene Borck, Patricia Weed, Betty Kadlec, Carney Garey, Norma Butler, Marilyn Huff, Peggy Vinsek, Sheila Murphy

Row 4—Joyce Bohn, Beverly Campbell, Ethelyn Huff, Janice DeGolyer, Mary Palladino, Grace Robbins, Dorothy Spears, Joyce Kiser, Marilyn Baldwin, Marian Klebert, Shirley Hotchkiss, Dorothy DeGolyer, Norma Updyke, Eleanor Oprisko, Janet Burdick, Virginia Matejcek

MR. J. ALBERT NORTHROP

The Coach

His coaching instills in our students good sportsmanship and good citizenship. His teams always rank high in the field of competition.

Seniors on Varsity

Row 1—Frances Trumble, Donald Soper

Row 2—Carl Pesesky, Gary May, Lee Palmer, Stanton Northrop, Richard Guidus

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Row 1—Robert Rundle, Daniel Pasielski, Louis Davis, Danny Compton, Richard Button, Francis Trumble

Row 2—John Kerrick, Mr. J. Albert Northrop, Coach; Joseph Allen, Richard Guidus, Clifford Proper, Dale Hurd, Donald Soper, Carl Pesesky, Lee Palmer, Amos Ranck, David Obuhanych, Manager

Row 3—Stanton Northrop, Michael Skalko, Robert Sobkowski, James Topping, Gary May, William Misnick, Dennis Dougherty

Our Football Coaches

The Varsity has been extremely fortunate this year in having Mr. Northrop and Mr. Guidus as Coaches. Much of the year's success may be attributed to their untiring effort every night at practice sessions. The team is truly grateful for all their help.

Varsity Football

The Heights Eleven, led by Captain Stanton Northrop, started the football season off with a bang by defeating Corning Northside 14-7. The glory of that game was lost when Heights stood up against Hornell and came out on the lower end of a 21-0 score. The strong Heights Eleven came back, however, and took a 34-0 game from Painted Post. The Heights boys again followed through and captured a close game from undefeated Watkins Glen 14-7. The Corning Free Academy proved just a mite too strong for the Heights Eleven and outscored the Heights 14-7. The Heights boys were not to be discouraged and proved their strength at Bath, by beating them 45-26. Then, in zero weather on the Waverly field, Heights Eleven was outstepped by one touchdown, making the score 26-19. The Heights Eleven made a strong comeback by taking undefeated Owego 28-26 in a glorious battle on the Heights field, thus bringing to a close the football season with a win of five games out of eight.

L.E. Clifford Proper
L.T. Amos Ranck
L.G. Lee Palmer
C. Dennis Dougherty
R.G. William Misnick
R.T. James Topping
R.E. Robert Sobkowski
Q.B. Gary May
L.H.B. Stanton Northrop
R.H.B. Carl Pesesky
F.B. Danny Compton

Date	*Opponent*	*Heights*	*Opponent*
September 24	Corning Northside	19	7
October 1	Hornell	0	21
8	Painted Post	34	0
15	Watkins Glen	14	7
21	Corning Free Academy	7	14
29	Bath	45	26
November 5	Waverly	19	26
11	Owego	28	26

J. V. FOOTBALL

L.E. Gerald Truax
L.T. Francis Touschner
L.G. Monroe Stanton
C. Roger Palmer
R.G. Douglas Washburn
R.T. Terry Doane
R.E. Harley Forrest
Q.B. Thomas Kosloski
L.H.B. Ronald Horne
R.H.B. Robert Kline
F.B. Raymond Rounds

Row 1—Raymond Zelko, Manager; Buddy Clemons, Thomas Jankowski, Monroe Stanton, Roger Palmer, Robert Brisco, Louis Beemer, Robert Kline, Gerald Dwyer, Manager

Row 2—Donald Moschek, Mr. Kenneth Erickson, Coach; Harley Forrest, Raymond Rounds, Terry Doane, Carl Spirawk, James Ervine, Richard Beemer, John Emmick, Francis Touschner, Kenneth Smith, Martyn Richardson, Dean Foster

Row 3—Phillip Morris, Dean Wheet, Jerome Spirawk, Franklin Freeborn, Gerald Truax, Francis Palladino, Bernard MacNamara

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Row 1—Lee Palmer, Robert Sobkowski, Gary May, Stanton Northrop, Carl Pesesky, Danny Compton

Row 2—Mr. J. Albert Northrop, Coach; Donald Soper, Clifford Proper, James Topping, Richard Button, Joseph Allen, Robert Rundle, Buddy Clemons, Manager

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

Row 1—James Krystof, Gerald Truax, Robert Brisco, Richard Beemer, Gerald Brown, Louis Beemer

Row 2—Coach Thomas Guidus, Gerald Gilbert, Dennis Dougherty, Dale Hurd, Franklin Freeborn, Carl Spirawk, James Collins, Danny Pasielski, Manager

Varsity Basketball

The 1949-50 Varsity Basketball team has proved to be very successful with the team making a three way tie for first place. Heights tied with Waverly and Watkins when they defeated Watkins on our home court 58 to 76. The team played unpredictable basketball, but made a fine showing in the last two league games.

Our team was under the fine leadership of Captain Stosh Northrop with Robert Sobkowski and Gary May as high scorers. Lee Palmer, Clifford Proper, Danny Compton, and Carl Pesesky made up the rest of the team with Proper, Compton and Pesesky switching for game starters. Our second team contributed greatly to the success of the season.

In league competition the team had seven wins and three losses. The total season record was twelve wins and six losses.

Credit for the team's success should be given to Mr. Northrop for his excellent coaching. His keen knowledge of sports and high standards of sportsmanship will always make him a leader to all.

The season will not be complete when this book goes to press, but we look forward to Elmira Heights upholding their reputation for good sportsmanship and clean play.

The scores were as follows:

Date		*Opponents*	*Heights*	*Opponents*
December	6	Corning Free Academy	35	61
	9	Corning Northside	41	40
	13	Painted Post	42	39
	20	Elmira Free Academy	53	30
January	3	Painted Post	43	46
	6	Newark Valley	46	35
	13	Owego	34	44
	20	Waverly	65	43
	27	Horseheads	47	32
	31	Corning Free Academy	46	57
February	3	Watkins Glen	52	61
	7	Corning Northside	55	37
	10	Newark Valley	69	62
	17	Owego	44	38
	24	Waverly	38	57
	28	Southside High	44	56
March	3	Horseheads	73	56
	10	Watkins Glen	75	58

Junior Varsity Basketball

The Heights Junior Varsity basketball team did not have so successful a season as the varsity, but turned in a fine showing. The team won 5 and lost 13 under the direction of Coach Thomas Guidus.

The scoring for the squad was grouped around Capt. Richard Beemer, leading scorer; Dale Hurd and Gerald Truax.

Coach Guidus did a fine job of coaching and his efforts were greatly appreciated by the team.

Date		*Opponents*	*Heights*	*Opponents*
December	6	Corning Free Academy	16	41
	9	Corning Northside	23	30
	13	Painted Post	31	27
	20	Elmira Free Academy	39	32
January	3	Painted Post	32	51
	6	Newark Valley	37	39
	13	Owego	30	47
	20	Waverly	30	35
	27	Horseheads	61	44
	31	Corning Free Academy	31	28
February	3	Watkins Glen	48	65
	7	Corning Northside	44	45
	10	Newark Valley	39	29
	17	Owego	58	46
	24	Waverly	26	35
	28	Southside	30	60
March	3	Horseheads	40	57
	10	Watkins Glen	42	49

BASEBALL

Row 1—Vincent Jones, William Misnick, Norman Personius, Daniel Compton, Robert Rundle, Stanton Northrop, Carl Pesesky

Row 2—Dale Rumsmoke, Manager, William Phillips, Joseph Allen, Richard Button, William Crowley, Lee Palmer, Gary May, Albert Northrop, Coach

Baseball 1949

Another step in the history of baseball in Elmira Heights was taken in the year 1949. We saw our boys take the field with twelve hard games to play. With this facing them, they came through with five wins and seven losses for an average of 417 for the twelve games.

The batting averages and percentages are as follows:

Name	*Position*	*Average*
Stanton Northrop	Pitcher	.356
Lee Palmer	Outfielder	.350
Carl Pesesky	Outfielder	.347
Vincent Jones	Infielder	.327
Joseph Allen	Infielder	.235
Gary May	Infielder	.230
William Misnick	Infielder	.228
Robert Rundle	Pitcher	.225
Danny Compton	Catcher	.210
Richard Button	Infielder	.190
Norman Personius	Infielder	.182
William Phillips	Outfielder	.167
William Crowley	Outfielder	.151
Robert Anderson	Catcher	.145

GOLF

Edward Fell, James Smith, James Topping, Harry Shepard, Charles Crum, Peter Genovese, Mr. Hess

Thomas A. Edison Golf Team

The T.A.E. golf team played the three best teams in this section, Binghamton Central, Ithaca, and Endicott, and was able to win one home match against Endicott.

Even though we could boast of only one win, we made every match interesting by extending our opponents to the last green.

The high-light of the season came early in June when we finished in 5th place in the Sectional Golf Tournament which was held at Binghamton.

Peter Genovese placed 5th in the Individual Sectional Tournament at Binghamton scoring a creditable 79 for the difficult I.B.M. Course. By virtue of his remarkable play, Pete qualified for a special match between our section and the Syracuse Section which was played the following Saturday at the En-Joie Course in Endicott.

The Golf Team wishes to thank Mr. Hess for his excellent coaching in making the team play on even standards with much larger schools.

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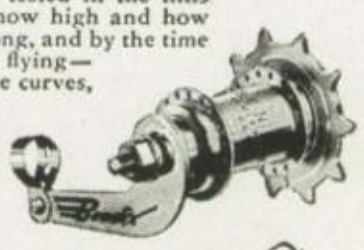

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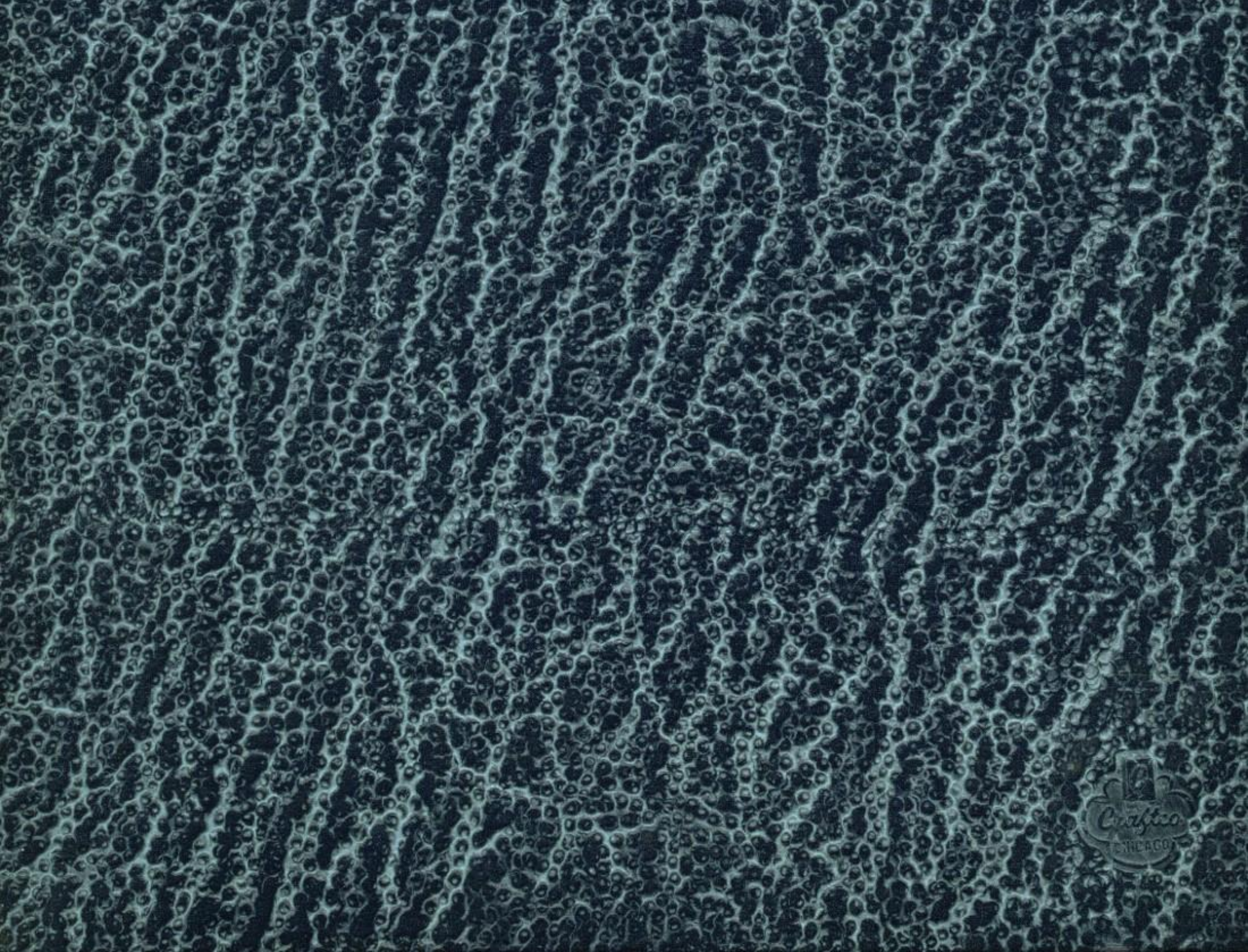
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